





## OBITUARY

**RICHARD ABBOTT**  
**CHARLES ATWOOD**  
**HAROLD CHARLES "DEWEY" EDGEcombe, JR.**  
**DR. MURRAY FELDBERG**  
**WILLIAM GROBE III**  
**PAUL GENE SHAW**  
**LOUISE E. SEAL**  
**LOUIS STARITA SR.**

**RICHARD ABBOTT**  
 Richard Paul Abbott, 82, of Diamondhead, died Friday, May 7, 1999, in Diamondhead. Mr. Abbott was a native of Dudley, Pa., and had been a resident of Diamondhead for the past 24 years. He was a member of Diamondhead Baptist Church. He retired as a civil engineer, American Dredging Co., New Orleans.

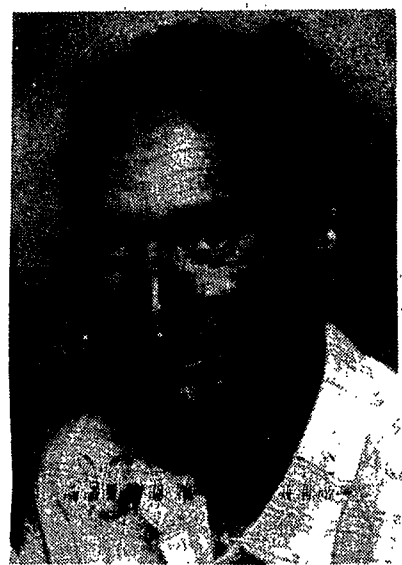
He was preceded in death by his parents, Robert Bruce and Flora Bell Sweet Abbott; his wife, Mildred Caffero Abbott; a son, Richard Kent Abbott; and a brother, Daniel Abbott.

Survivors include a son, David Paul Abbott of Trinidad, Texas; four sisters, Martha Abbott and Ruth Howells, both of Dudley, Sally Coulter of Hershey, Pa., and Mary Moyle of Mebane, N.C.; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be conducted at a later date. Interment will be in Gulf Coast Memorial Cemetery and Mausoleum in Bay St. Louis.

The family prefers memorials to the American Cancer Society, 182-A DeBuys Road, Biloxi, MS 39531.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis is in charge of arrangements.



**CHARLES ATWOOD**  
 Charles R. Atwood, 67, of Bay St. Louis, died Sunday, May 9, 1999, in Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Atwood was a native of Hickory, N.C., and a former owner of a Security Service.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Marie M. Atwood; his parents, Earl F. and Grace Andrews Atwood; and a brother, Howard Atwood.

Survivors include sons Wayne Bolick of Florida, Dino "Elvis" Atwood of Bay St. Louis, Donnie R. Atwood of Long Beach; a brother, Orville Atwood of Hickory; and a sister, Ola Cuthrell of Hickory.

Visitation will be today, 10-11 a.m. at Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. Services will be conducted at 11 a.m. in the funeral home chapel. Burial will be in Gardens of Memory in Bay St. Louis.

**HAROLD CHARLES "DEWEY" EDGEcombe, JR.**

Harold Charles "Dewey" Edgecombe, Jr., 57, of Pass Christian, died Tuesday, May 11, 1999, in New Orleans, La.

He was a native of New Orleans and a resident of Pass Christian for 22 years. He was of the Catholic faith and a member of St. Paul's Catholic Church, Pass Christian. He retired from the Naval Oceanographic Office, Stennis Space Center, Miss., after 29 years in the service of the government of the United States. He was a member of USMA Alumni Association, Hattiesburg and American Mathematical Society.

He is survived by his wife, Marilyn Sandrock Edgecombe of Pass Christian; a son, John C. Edgecombe of Houma, La.; a daughter, Jelinda E. Perniciaro of Bay St. Louis; his parents, Harold Charles and Geneva Costella Edgecombe, Sr. of Slidell, La.; a brother, Barry P. Edgecombe of Slidell, La.; and two grandchildren.

Visitation will be held Friday, May 14 from 9 a.m. until 12 noon at the Edmond Fahey Funeral Home, Bay St. Louis. A prayer service will follow at 12 noon in the Edmond Fahey Funeral Home Chapel with interment to follow at St. Paul's Cemetery, Pass Christian.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis is in charge of the arrangements.

**DR. MURRAY FELDBERG**  
 Dr. Murray Feldberg, of Pass Christian, died Friday, May 7, 1999, in New Orleans.

Dr. Feldberg graduated from the University of Amsterdam Medical School, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, in 1957. He moved to the Coast in 1992 and served as attending and consulting psychiatrist at several Coast hospitals. He was medical director for the Gero-

Psychiatric Units at Stone County Hospital, Perry County Hospital and Magee General Hospital. He was a member of the American Psychoanalytic Association, the International Psychoanalytic Association, the Boston Center for the Study of Group and Social Systems, the A.K. Rice Institute, the Hastings Center for the Study of Bioethics, Mississippi State Medical Society, American Medical Association, Coast County Medical Association and American Gero-Psychiatric Society.

Survivors include his wife, Sharon Feldberg; two sons, David and Josh Feldberg; a daughter, Rebecca Feldberg, all of New York; a stepdaughter, Jill Friedman, and a stepson, Peter Gerrity, both of New Jersey.

Services were conducted Sunday in New Orleans.

Tharp-Sontheimer-Tharp Funeral Home in New Orleans was in charge of arrangements.

The family prefers memorials to the American Diabetic Association.

**WILLIAM GROBE III**

William Charles Grobe III, 46, of Bastrop, La., died Thursday, May 6, 1999, in Shreveport.

Mr. Grobe was a member of First United Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge and Paper Workers International Union 00382.

Survivors include his mother and stepfather, Mary Volk and Homer McDougale of Bastrop; his father, William C. Grobe Jr. of Bay St. Louis; a stepdaughter, Jennifer Elizabeth Wilson of North Little Rock, Ark.; a stepson, Jonathan Wilson of North Little Rock; a sister, Mary Cecilia Grobe; a stepson, Aline McDougale, both of Bastrop; and a stepbrother, Homer McDougale Jr. of Anacostia, La.

Graveside services were conducted May 8 in Grobe Cemetery. Golden Funeral Home in Bastrop was in charge of arrangements.

**PAUL GENE SHAW**  
 Paul Gene Shaw, 56, of Pass Christian, died Sunday, May 9, 1999, in Gulfport.

Mr. Shaw was a native of Louisville, Miss., and had been a Coast resident for two years. He was a member of Loyal Order of Moose No. 1686 in Harrisonburg, Va., Masons and Scottish Rites, and Mississippi Gulf Coast Homebuilders Association.

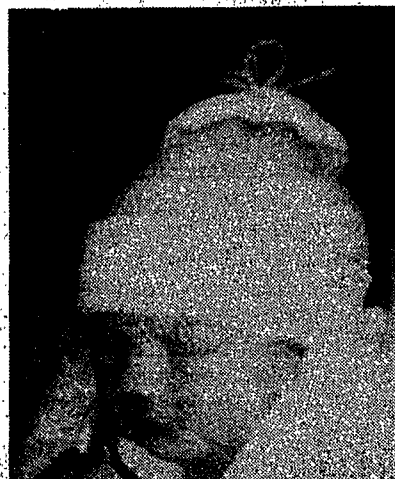
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tion. He was a Methodist.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charlie H. and Lucy M. Shaw; two sisters, Dianne Shaw and Charmie Shaw; and two brothers, Thomas Shaw and Charles Shaw Jr.

Survivors include his wife, Judy Ann Shaw of Pass Christian; two daughters, Teresa Ann Morris of Lacey Springs, Va., and Christina Gail Shaw of Nashville; three brothers, Clifton H. Shaw of Philadelphia, Miss., Samuel D. Shaw of Southaven and James Bruce Shaw of Louisville, Miss.; five sisters, Bobbie Dean Shaw and Elise Easley, both of Louisville, Miss., Shirley Dawson of Spring, Texas, and Charlene McNeill of Lancaster, S.C., and a grandchild.

Visitation was Tuesday evening at Riemann Funeral Home in Gulfport. Services were conducted Wednesday at the funeral home, with burial at a later date.

The family prefers memorials to Memorial Hospital at Gulfport, Intensive Care Unit, P.O. Box 1810, Gulfport, MS 39502.

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## Pentecost celebration at Episcopal

On May 23, Christ Episcopal Church will celebrate Pentecost on the lawn under the oaks at 10:30 a.m.

Since the Rev. Dr. Arthur E. Johnson is on vacation, the Rev. Ted Dawson, recently retired from St. Andrews, new Orleans, will celebrate.

Sunday School will be recognized and awards given by Karen Niolet.

Guitar music to accompany the singing of hymns will be provided by Jennifer Thompson.

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Psalms 25:8-9

Today keep God as your constant companion. Today let go and let God help solve your dilemma.

I solemnly assure you, whoever welcomes anyone I send welcomes me, and in welcoming me welcomes the one who sent me.

Gospel of John  
 Faith is the bird that feels the light and sings when the dawn is still dark.

—Tagore

It's that time of the year again, time for the annual Parish Rummage Sale.

The date for the yearly affair is Saturday, June 5, and will be held 8 a.m.-2 p.m. at St. Ann's in Clarendon Harbor.

Any items you may have to donate may be brought to the parish hall.

Votive candles to St. Jude can be lighted any time of day at your convenience by visiting St. Ann Church through the chapel entrance.

Those who are seriously ill should be given the opportunity

## Card of Thanks

The family of Louise Seal would like to express gratitude for the flowers sent to the church.

We would also like to thank Brother Moore of Catahoula Baptist Church and the staff of Gulfport Memorial Hospital, and special thanks to the ladies of the church for the food.

Louise Seal was the beloved wife of the late Oren Seal, a long-time educator in the Hancock County School District. The Seal Family



## Three to receive MSU's first honorary degrees

A Gulf Coast banker and civic leader, the CEO of a major national corporation and a former dean of engineering will receive the first honorary degrees awarded by Mississippi State University.

Honorary doctorates will be awarded during commencement ceremonies May 13 to:

—Leo W. Seal Jr., chairman and CEO of Hancock Bank in Gulfport;

—John H. Bryan Jr., chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Sara Lee Corporation and a native of West Point, Miss.; and

—Harry Charles F. Simrall, dean of engineering at Mississippi State until his retirement in 1978.

"These individuals epitomize the qualities of energetic and far-sighted leadership combined with a deep commitment to service in their occupations and in their communities," said President Malcolm Porter.

"They express through their lives and work the principles that The People's University stands for and hopes to inculcate in future generations of students."

Mississippi State will be awarding honorary degrees for the first time since the College Board authorized the practice a year ago. The honorees were approved by the board in March.

Seal is to receive the Doctor of Public Service degree. He has been active for 50 years in public service on a local, state and national level, working especially for the advancement of the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

He has served on the boards of the Mississippi Economic Council and Mississippi Power Company and currently serves on the Mississippi Export Railroad Board, the Bank of Wiggins board of directors, the Gulf Coast Economic Development Council, and the Gulf Coast Community Foundation. He is

past president of the Mississippi Bankers Association.

Seal began his career at Hancock Bank in 1947 while a student at Mississippi State, where he was a lineman for the football team. He received a bachelor's degree in banking and finance in 1949 after serving in the U.S. Army during World War II.

He has supported his alma mater through financial contributions and as a member of Alumni Association, the M-Club Alumni Association, and as an officer or member of the board of directors of the Mississippi State University Foundation, the Bulldog Foundation, Inc., and the Bulldog Club. A native of Bay St. Louis, he is a 1942 graduate of Bay High School.

Bryan is to receive the Doctor of Humane Letters degree. An active supporter of the arts, he is a member of the Trustees Council of the National Gallery of Art and a member of the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities. He has received France's Chevalier de la Legion d'Honneur, Holland's Order of Orange Nassau, and the National Humanitarian Award of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Bryan serves on the boards of directors of Amoco, First Chicago NBD Corporation and General Motors, and was named executive of the year in 1997 by the French-American Chamber of Commerce. He became president and a director of Sara Lee in 1974, was named chief executive officer a year later, and was elected chairman in 1976.

Bryan's father founded Bryan Foods in West Point. The company is now a subsidiary of packaged food and consumer products giant Sara Lee. John Bryan Jr. was a student at Mississippi State in 1959-60 and is an economics and business gra-

duate of Rhodes College in Memphis.

Professor and Dean Emeritus of Engineering Simrall will receive the Doctor of Science honorary degree. He retired after 44 years with the university and a career that had nationwide impact on the engineering profession and engineering education.

Simrall graduated from Mississippi State with a degree in electrical engineering in 1934 and another in mechanical engineering a year later. After graduate work at the University of Illinois, he became a professor, department head, dean of engineering, director of the Engineering and Industrial Research Station and director of the Engineering Extension Service.

His work as a member of the National Council of Engineering Examiners to establish standards for professional engineering registration was recognized by the Council with its Distinguished Service Award in 1971.

He also was Engineer of the Year of the Mississippi Society



Leo Seal Jr.

of Professional Engineers in 1963, Mississippi State's Alumnus of the Year in 1963, and a Fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers. Simrall served as president of the Mississippi Society for Professional Engineers and the National Society of Professional Engineers.

He helped establish the university's first computing center and supported research programs including the RASPEX Flight Research Laboratory and work that led to creation of the National Science Foundation/MSU Engineering Research Center.

## Seedlings for sale

The Mississippi Forestry Commission will begin taking orders for tree seedlings on Monday, May 17.

Slash and Loblolly bare root pine seedlings will be sold in bundles of 1,000 for \$33. Containerized Longleaf seedlings will be \$150 per thousand. The minimum order for all pine seedlings is 1,000 trees.

Hardwood seedlings will be sold in bundles of 100 for \$20. The species available include Bald Cypress, Green Ash, Water Oak, Sycamore, Cherrybark Oak, Sawtooth Oak, Nuttall Oak, Willow oak, Shumard Oak, Sweet Pecan, Yellow Poplar and Persimmon.

Pine seedlings will be delivered to Wiggins from December 1999 to February 2000, and hardwood seedlings will be delivered to the counties in February 2000.

Quantities are limited on all seedlings and orders will be

processed as they are received.

To place an order, call the local Mississippi Forestry Commission Office:

Hancock County 228-255-4885, 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Harrison County 228-831-3359, 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Jackson County 228-497-3790, 8 a.m.-noon

Please, order from the county where you plan to plant the seedlings.

## Baby shower for Morning Star Center

There will be a Coastwide Baby Shower hosted by the 4-H Gumshoes for the Morning Star Pregnancy Center, Gulfport, Sat., May 15, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The baby shower will take place at the following locations: Hug of Heaven, Highway 90, Bay St. Louis; Kmart, Highway 69, Gulfport; and Kmart, Highway 90, Long Beach.

The 4-H Gumshoes club includes Hancock and Harrison counties.

Bring your gifts to any location, and they will be delivered to the Morning Star Pregnancy Center.

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St. Rose Summer Camp for children 5-15 starts June 7-July 16 from 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. daily.

Final registration will be held Friday and Saturday, May 14-15 at the St. Rose Parish Center, 301 S. Nacaise Ave., Bay St. Louis, 9 a.m.-noon.

Registration fee is \$8. Also offered for older girls (13-16) whose parents do not want them home alone during the summer, specialized camp activities geared to their age level.

For details and camp fees, contact Camp Director Yolande Bradley at 228-467-7347.

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## New preserve dedicated in South Mississippi

Dedication ceremonies opening the Charles M. Deaton Nature Preserve will take place today at 1 p.m.

The event will take place at the preserve site, off Hwy. 98 just northwest of Lucedale.

The establishment of the 3,273-acre preserve was made possible by the members of The Nature Conservancy.

The Charles M. Deaton Nature Preserve is one of the finest natural areas remaining in Mississippi and contains a large contiguous block of bottomland hardwood forest. The preserve encompasses approximately 11 miles of frontage along the Leaf and Chickasawhay rivers and the site where they converge to form the Pascagoula River, the largest undammed and unchanneled water drainage system in the lower 48 states.

The site is an extension of habitat afforded by the Pascagoula River and Ward Bayou Wildlife Management area, representing a 47,000-acre public lands corridor, beginning just five miles downstream of the site.

There are few comparable sized tracts of bottomland hardwood forests in the southeastern United States. In addition to numerous types of bottomland forest communities, the site contains pitcher plant flats, submerged/floating vascular vegetation, sandbars, seven oxbow lakes and the river channel.

The lower slope mixed hardwood pine forest, and southern mesophytic forest remain ideal habitat for a significant number of special plants and animals.

The preserve is home to several federally endangered species including the yellow-blotched saw back turtle and gopher tortoises abound.

Charlie Deaton's name is synonymous with conservation in Mississippi. He was instrumental in the establishment of the Pascagoula Wildlife Management Area in the mid 1970's. This 35,000-acre ecosystem remains a model for achieving conservation success through public and private partnerships. This was one of the Nature Conservancy's first projects nationwide and the first in the Southeast.

His work on the Pascagoula

offered him the opportunity to serve a 10-year term on the Nature Conservancy's National Board of Governors. In 1989, Deaton led the effort to establish a field office of the conservancy in Jackson.

The Nature Conservancy recognized Deaton's conservation achievements in 1992 by awarding him the Oak Leaf Award, the conservancy's highest honor. The award is given to individuals who have made a personal and lasting difference to conservation.

He is an attorney at law with the firm of Brewer, Deaton & Bowman in Greenwood. He served as city attorney for the City of Greenwood from 1970-1984 and served five terms in the Mississippi Legislature from 1960-1980. He was a senior aide to Governors William Winter and Bill Allain for Economic Development, Transportation and Natural Resources.

Based in Arlington, Va., The Nature Conservancy is the world's leading private, international conservation group, with more than 900,000 members and over 1,600 preserves - the largest system of private nature sanctuaries in the world.

The conservancy has helped protect more than 10 million acres of ecologically significant habitat in the United States, and more than 55 million acres in Canada, Latin America, the Caribbean, Asia and the Pacific. It currently manages more than 6.1 million acres.

The Mississippi Field Office has been instrumental in the preservation of over 115,000 acres. Much of this land is managed by the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks as Wildlife Management Areas or by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service as National Wildlife Refuges.

For information about The Nature Conservancy, call the Mississippi Field Office in Jackson at 601-713-3355; website [www.tnc.org/mississippi](http://www.tnc.org/mississippi).





## "CUEVAS' QUOTES"

By Ellis C. Cuevas

Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., will be Hancock Medical Center's Annual Community Health Fair.

Everyone from the area is invited and encouraged to attend the annual event which offers many free services.

There will be blood pressure checks, glucose and cholesterol tests, lung function, glaucoma and vision screening, grip strength testing, all types of health care information, refreshments and give-aways.

An extra special guest will be Armand Jonte from Armand's Restaurant in Waveland, who will be serving some of his local favorites.

There will be several give-aways, which will include a drawing for a free stress test and a mammogram.

Just for kids, there will be face painting, photo IDs, McGruff, a Teddy Bear Clinic and safety information. The staff of Hancock Medical Center has been working hard to make this health fair the largest ever and hope there will be big community support.

The Community Health Fair will take place at the entrance to Hancock Medical Center off Drinkwater Drive.

P.S. Since the hospital's expansion last fall, parking spaces have probably been doubled, so parking should not be a problem.

I hope to see you and your family at the Community Health Fair on Saturday morning.

Looking for something to do Friday or Saturday night? You may want to consider attending Bay St. Louis Little Theatre's Neil Simon's comedy *Fools*.

The Little Theatre's Playhouse is on Boardman Avenue, off Dunbar in the Cedar Point area of Bay St. Louis. There are directional signs.

Curtain time is 8 p.m. There will also be repeat performances on Friday and Saturday, May 21 and 22 at 8 p.m. and also Sunday, May 23, at 2 p.m.

Admission is \$7.50 adults and \$5 for students.

The director is Ed Davis with co-producers Virginia Langen and Sandy Reese.

The cast includes Chip Gordon, Mike Fabian, Melissa Corsey, Wendy Davis, Ed Craig, Darrell Hughes, Art Bailey Jr., and Bob Barrett II.

Tom Schwab built the set, and Betty Stechmann and her crew did the decorations. Glenda Goss produced the posters. Casino Magic is the play's sponsor.

As you can see, a lot of time and effort has gone into the production.

I have been told that you will leave the theatre with a smile on your face.

Isn't it great that our community has people with so many different talents.

While on the subject of plays, the seventh and eighth graders of St. Stanislaus and Our Lady Academy will present the production of *The Wizard of Oz* on Friday for the general public at 7 p.m. at the St. Stanislaus Audio/Visual Room.

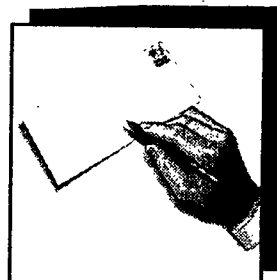
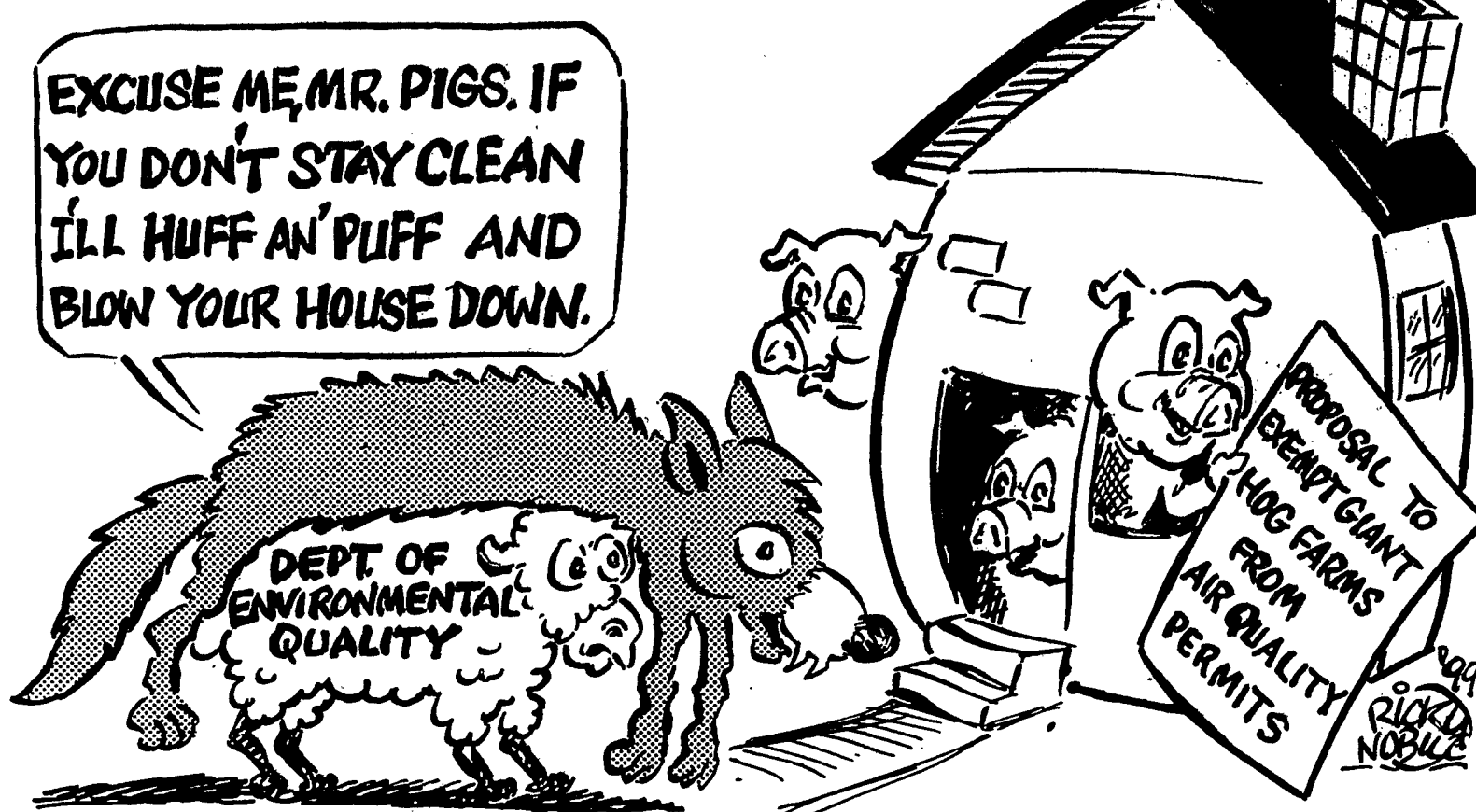
Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$2 for students.

Even our younger generation is involved in the theatre activities.

The bus accident in New Orleans last Sunday struck really close to home, as St. Stanislaus Track Coach Errol Gauff's mother, Mrs. Shirley Gauff, was one of those killed in the crash.

Our condolences are extended to Coach Errol Gauff and his family.

## A SHEEP IN WOLF'S CLOTHING



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Road supervisor takes care of road problem

Dear Editor:  
We would like to commend Hancock County Road Supervisor Roger Ladner.

We live in Shoreline Park. The roadway leading to our home was deplorable. It was below ditch level. At times it would be almost impossible to go out.

Mr. Ladner came out personally and promised to fix the

problem. He brought the road crew out, and the work was done quickly. It was an excellent job.

It is so nice to be able to drive this road safely. A lot of people can do a job, but a job done right is greatly appreciated.

Billy and Mavis Newell  
Bay St. Louis

### Poetry is definitely art

To the Editor:  
During my most recent journey to the West Coast, I found pockets of enlightenment where artists inhaled the natural wonder of the land and exhaled spellbinding verse.

Note the reference to these devoted writers as "artists." This is because poetry is art.

After returning to this region, I have become aware that a number of prominent individuals within the local art community fail to acknowledge poetry as art.

The following facts deserve contemplation:

The poet uses mental powers to select and arrange the limited variety of words comprising our language.

These arrangements may incorporate difficult metering

and rhythmic patterns, which serve in the unique delivery of a theme, image, or narrative.

The message contained within the verse is forged in the furnace of the heart of the poet.

The magic of the work can be accomplished with the lowly materials of pencil and paper.

The art does not end here. Publication of poetry requires astute skill and timing. The live reading of verse can demand the delicate art of performance.

It is extremely disappointing to encounter narrow-mindedness regarding poetry, the ultimate free spirit of literature.

Gary Spencer Smith  
Poet, Free Lance Writer  
Waveland

### Bayside property owners need to be held responsible

To the Editor:  
Why is Bayside Park Subdivision allowed to be an environmental eyesore? Here in this subdivision people are allowed to walk away from burned-out homes without a look back. This would never be allowed within the city limits, so why here? There seems to be no official action on this situation in Hancock County.

People need to be held responsible for their own property and waste. Homes can be set up on lots that have existing sewer, septic, and electric utilities, but some control needs to be established for appropriate housing. Unfortunately, here in Hancock County anything goes!

We need to take care of the environment that we live in including our residential areas. I don't feel that anyone wants uncontrolled or unregulated housing, even in the county.

Everyone complains about the "eyesores," but no one does anything about them. Where is everyone's pride in where they live? Where are our supervisors?

It does not take a lot of money to clean up a yard, putting trash in an appropriate container so dogs do not drag it everywhere or getting rid of cars that do not belong in your front yard is basic to quality of life.

If your house burns down, tear it down, don't leave the remain standing. To help find a solution, call your local supervisor. That supervisor should offer a solution to our environmental mess. Take pride in where you live, pitch in and clean up!

Sincerely,  
J. Schneider  
Bayside Park

### Letters Welcome

The Sea Coast Echo welcomes comments from its readers on subjects of general interest. Letters must be signed and include address or phone number so that the sender can be contacted by the newspaper if necessary. Letters should be brief, preferably type-written and double spaced, and conform to standards of good taste. Only one letter per writer per month will be published. The editor reserves the right to edit or reject letters.

Letters of thanks, expressions of appreciation and political endorsements are considered inappropriate for the Letters to the Editor columns.

—Ellis C. Cuevas, publisher

## McConnell Bill will let down American people

Moved by sight of three Army soldiers released in Yugoslavia and one ex-POW's testimony, American Legion National Commander Butch Miller said his 2.8-million member veterans group would not do what he believed two North Dakota U.S. senators have done: Lt down the American people, who want returned to them the right to protect the U.S. flag from acts of physical desecration.

Senators Kent Conrad and Byron Dorgan announced that they will not vote in favor of Senate joint Res. 14, a flag-protection constitutional amendment, and instead will join Kentucky Senator Mitch McConnell and Utah Senator Robert Bennett in support of a flag-protection statute, a tactic that was struck down by the Supreme Court.

"If the senators are in favor of protecting the same U.S. flag that I saw our freed soldiers carrying under their arms to the helicopter, then the senators should support the only avenue for protecting the flag that the Supreme Court left the American people — a constitutional amendment," said Miller, an Army Vietnam War veteran who will convene a three-day meeting of the Legion's board of directors in Indianapolis.

"These senators should realize that Staff Sgt. Stone, while in captivity, sketched a replica of an American flag on a piece of toilet tissue to give him and his comrades hope and strength; that tells a reasonable mind that the U.S. flag is more than just a symbol.

"Our troops can look to Old Glory and find the resolve to do their duty. Perhaps our senators should to the same, and they'll find deep inside themselves the mettle to buck the elitist and do what 49 state legislatures and a poll-validated four out of five Americans want them to do: Send a flag-protection amendment to the states for ratification. Forget about that half-way-house approach; a statute alone will fail to withstand judicial scrutiny."

Utah Senator Orrin Hatch, principal sponsor of Senate Joint Res. 14, assailed the four statute backers for choosing to

"advance an unconstitutional bill" rather than voting in favor of the amendment.

"This is nothing new, nor is it unexpected," Hatch said. "Not once, but twice, the Supreme Court has found statutory prohibition to be unconstitutional."

"Even if the McConnell bill is found to be constitutional against all historic precedent, it would not protect Old Glory except in three very specific instances: 1) if the purpose of the desecration is to incite violence, which forces the courts to look into the mind of the perpetrator, which opponents deride; 2) if the flag is stolen from federal property and desecrated; and 3) if the flag is stolen and desecrated on federal property," said Miller.

"Interestingly enough, virtually every flag desecration did not meet any of these requirements and would be excluded from this proposed law. It will provide miniscule protection to the symbol of our national unity."

On free-speech grounds in 1989, the high court by a 5-4 margin invalidated federal law and the laws of 48 states banning physical desecration of the U.S. flag. In 1990, the court struck down a federal statute passed overwhelmingly by Congress. The 1999 act would ban flag desecration under impossibly narrow circumstances.

The Citizens Flag Alliance Web site, www.cfa-inc.org, lists more than 70 separate incidents of flag desecration committed since 1994, nearly all of which would be permissible under McConnell's bill.

"The statute is, to borrow from Shakespeare, 'sound and fury, signifying nothing,' Miller said. "On behalf of my American Legion and the other 139 groups in the Citizens Flag Alliance, I look forward to meeting face to face with Senators Conrad and Dorgan to discuss this issue in depth before the vote."

The proposed 28th Amendment would read, "The Congress shall have power to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States." It passed twice in the House and we remain confident that it will pass in the Senate this year," Miller said.

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## Port bill

A large delegation from Hancock County went to Jackson recently to witness Gov. Kirk Fordice signing a bill which will make \$9 million in state bonds available for improvements at Port Bienville and create a high-tech industrial park at the Stennis Space Center. Fordice is at center. From left are: Hal Walters, Port and Harbor Executive Director; state Rep. Dirk Dedeaux, Port Commission Chairman; Dave McDonald; Ken Tucker of Boeing Rocketdyne; State Sen. Scottie Cuevas; Dave Geiger of Boeing; and Port Bienville manager Jerry Hemphill.

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For teachers of grades

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### GLOBE

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July 14, 15 and 16  
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As participants in GLOBE training, teachers will learn methods of collecting measurements in atmosphere/climate, hydrology, landcover/biology and soils.

### It's All in the Game

June 29 or June 30  
For teachers of grades

**K-3**  
Teachers will find ideas for learning games and activities that will promote learning across the curriculum. Participants will be provided with materials to complete several games for use in their classrooms at the start of the new school year.

### Holidays on the Internet

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For teachers of grades

**K-6**  
Educators will use the Internet to discover lesson plans and activities that

explore the origins of many holidays that we celebrate.

### Introduction to Power Point

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For teachers of grades

**K-12**  
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### We're One Big Family

July 28  
For teachers of grades

**K-5**  
Join other educators for activities that will excite students about social studies as they discover how people relate in regard to the family, environment and the community.

All workshops begin at 8:30 a.m. The workshops are offered at Stennis Space Center at no charge. Reservations are required due to limited seating.

For reservations, call the NASA Educator Resource Center at 1-800-237-1821 (select option 2) or 228-688-3338 between the hours of 7 a.m. and 3 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The center has been accepted as a sponsor for Continuing Education Units. For information, contact the Educator Resource Center at the number listed above.

## Winborn murder trial set June 14

BY ED LEPOMA

The stage is set for Julie A. Winborn of Bay St. Louis to stand trial in Hancock County Circuit Court June 14 on two charges of murder.

Last Tuesday, Judge Kosta Vlahos refused to suppress a statement by Winborn made to law enforcement officers, who arrested her last April when they found her living in a trailer in Ellisville, outside Laurel.

Winborn, 33, is charged in the April 17 murder of her mother, Inez Kingston Bouis, 66, and Grady Winborn, 57, her husband. Both were found shot to death in Bouis' house in downtown Bay St. Louis at Second and Railroad Streets.

At the hearing Tuesday, Thomas D. Berry Jr., the county's public defender, unsuccessfully argued that arresting Chief Detective Tom Burleson verbally read Winborn her Miranda rights too fast for her to absorb the seriousness of the situation.

Berry told the Echo later, "When he read her Miranda rights in a slower fashion later, she refused to talk any further and asked for an attorney."

Burleson testified, after giving her the Miranda rights, Winborn volunteered that she shot her mother and her husband, and voluntarily showed officers where the murder weapon was located in the trailer.

The double murder last April

## Haas reunion set May 16

A Haas family reunion will be held Sunday, May 16, at McLeod State Park, Kilm, MS., beginning at 10 a.m.

Vidlee Haas, spokesman said, "Bring your refreshments and covered dishes. This year we hope to make it a record event in attendance. Come join the fun."

## Garcia family reunion set

A Garcia family reunion will be held on Sunday, May 16, at Buccaneer State Park, Waveland.

It will be at pavillion three and families are asked to bring a covered dish, spokesman Lillie Garcia said.

For more information, call 467-1701.

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## Two arrested in drug search

Shane Corr, Hancock County Drug Task Force director, reports the arrest of Mary Carter, 54, and Harvey Carter, 55, both of 9293 Dummy Line Road, P-

cayne, MS. (Hancock County residents) on Tuesday in connection with possession of a controlled substance with intent to sell.

## St. Paul Carnival Association sets officers election

The St. Paul's Carnival Association of Pass Christian will hold its annual general membership and election of officers meeting at 7 p.m. Tues., May 18, in the St. Paul's cafeteria, 151 East Scenic Drive.

At the meeting all committee chairpersons will give reports on the recent carnival season, and there will be the election of officers and trustees for next year.

All members of the carnival association are encouraged to attend so the association can "wrap up" this year's season and begin planning for next year, said Wendy L. Allard, spokesman.

## Music CDs at Pass Library

The Pass Christian Library is now circulating music CDs.

The classic, opera and special interest music was donated by the estate of Harry Merwin of Pass Christian. The CDs will be available on a two-week loan period.

All that is required to borrow discs from the selection is a current Harrison County Library card.

## Bay band's spring concert set tonight

The Bay High School Tiger Pride High School, Junior High and Beginner and Jazz bands will perform their annual spring concert today at 7 p.m. in the Robert V. Magee Auditorium.

Admission is free, and the public is invited.

Bay High School bands are under the direction of Catchie Crider.

## Spear honored at Millsaps

Rachel Nicole Spear of Waveland recently received the Pi Delta Pi Intermediate French Award and the Outstanding Freshman Mathematics Award at Millsaps College.

The Pi Delta Pi Intermediate French Award is presented to the outstanding student in the subject of intermediate-level French.

The Outstanding Freshman Mathematics Award is given to the freshman who has done the most outstanding work in mathematics.

Spear, who plans to major in both English and mathematics, is the daughter of Carl and Connie McLain of Devenport, N.Y. She is a member of Phi Eta Sigma (a freshman academics honorary), Kappa Delta sorority, the Stylus staff (Millsaps' literary magazine) and the Millsaps French Club.

Spear also volunteers for the Midtown Project, Jackson Stewpot and Santa Shoestring. After graduation, Spear plans to pursue a graduate degree in mathematics.

Millsaps College is a privately supported college founded in 1890 and is affiliated with the United Methodist Church.

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## Extension Service to offer pesticide training

Private applicators can attend training on Thursday, May 20 beginning at 8 p.m. The training will be held at the extension located at 3064 Longfellow Drive in Bay St. Louis.

The County Agent's office is located in the Hancock County Human Services Building. A private applicator is defined by law as one who uses or supervises the use of restricted-use pesticides to produce an agricultural commodity on property owned or rented by him or his employer, or on the property of another person with whom he trades services.

The certification is required by the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act. The training meets the state requirements approved by the EPA. The Bureau of Plant Industry issues the certification.

Training and certification upgrade the knowledge of pesticide users so they can better deal with pest control problems and minimize possible risks to themselves and others, and avoid environmental hazards to groundwater, endangered species, food, etc.

For information, contact Hancock County Agent Mike Keene at 467-5456.

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Synopsis of the Annual Statement	
as of	
December 31, 1997	
of	
Marshall Insurance Company	
Blount Marine Plaza	
Evansville	
Illinois	
62261	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 131,764,189
Stocks	19,814,081
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	0
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	24,929,402
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	5,370,337
Other Admitted Assets	5,006,417
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 181,584,089</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 71,137,382
Loss Adjustment Expenses	28,593,946
Unearned Premiums	27,110,630
All Other Liabilities	12,562,965
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 139,404,923</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 4,200,000
Surplus Funds	\$ 45,979,166
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 50,179,166</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 189,584,089</b>

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as of	
December 31, 1997	
of	
GEICO Casualty Company	
GEICO Plaza	
Washington	
D.C.	
20007-4091	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 14,664,185
Stocks	0
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	0
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	31,737
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	42,943,433
Other Admitted Assets	27,854
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 87,365,399</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 14,703,874
Loss Adjustment Expenses	2,349,838
Unearned Premiums	12,164,277
All Other Liabilities	8,796,289
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 37,914,280</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 3,819,880
Surplus Funds	\$ 45,631,239
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 49,451,119</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 87,365,399</b>

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Property and Casualty Companies	
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December 31, 1997	
of	
Fremont Indemnity Company	
P.O. Box 3804	
Columbia	
Missouri	
63101-0404	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 481,541,234
Stocks	644,999,113
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	0
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	16,378,582
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	67,933,541
Other Admitted Assets	58,813,314
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 1,269,752,810</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 478,315,371
Loss Adjustment Expenses	102,853,385
Unearned Premiums	49,849,466
All Other Liabilities	22,219,223
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 653,237,445</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 5,000,000
Surplus Funds	\$ 543,284,345
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 548,284,345</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 1,201,521,790</b>

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of	
Atlanta Specialty Insurance Company	
P.O. Box 185438	
Atlanta	
Georgia	
30348-5435	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 14,986,477
Stocks	0
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	0
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	1,850,904
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	99,026
Other Admitted Assets	579,363
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 17,416,770</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 1,484,098
Loss Adjustment Expenses	643,195
Unearned Premiums	138,164
All Other Liabilities	4,399,001
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 6,664,458</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 3,000,528
Surplus Funds	\$ 7,849,880
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 10,850,408</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 17,515,770</b>

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Property and Casualty Companies	
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of	
Underwriters Reinsurance Company	
P.O. Box 4830	
Woodland Hills	
California	
91362	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 929,119,580
Stocks	412,025,674
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	5,000,000
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	83,540,490
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	28,813,341
Other Admitted Assets	159,295,245
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 1,622,994,330</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 735,666,770
Loss Adjustment Expenses	14,864,964
Unearned Premiums	85,487,421
All Other Liabilities	127,621,383
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 963,640,538</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 4,800,000
Surplus Funds	\$ 654,553,792
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 659,353,792</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 1,622,994,330</b>

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of	
Athens Assurance Company	
Tax Department	
385 Washington Street	
St. Paul	
Minnesota	
55102	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 96,765,526
Stocks	0
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	0
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	2,343,725
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	5,196,786
Other Admitted Assets	2,407,613
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 104,612,650</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 33,341,721
Loss Adjustment Expenses	7,496,767
Unearned Premiums	6,795,506
All Other Liabilities	2,669,280
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 49,303,274</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 3,500,000
Surplus Funds	\$ 50,809,376
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 54,309,376</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 104,612,650</b>

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Property and Casualty Companies	
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of	
International Indemnity Company	
Post Office Box 108081	
Atlanta	
Georgia	
30308	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 14,990,138
Stocks	23,435,395
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	649,505
Real Estate	1,061,111
Cash and Short-Term Investments	5,983,024
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	7,910,606
Other Admitted Assets	5,746,670
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 60,526,449</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 18,117,316
Loss Adjustment Expenses	5,442,159
Unearned Premiums	11,007,581
All Other Liabilities	2,306,962
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 36,873,018</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 3,000,000
Surplus Funds	\$ 19,653,431
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 22,653,431</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 59,526,449</b>

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of	
AXA Reinsurance Company	
17 State Street	
New York	
New York	
10004	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 592,075,915
Stocks	82,703,407
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	0
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	13,118,697
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	38,554,115
Other Admitted Assets	17,406,054
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 724,358,188</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 354,658,362
Loss Adjustment Expenses	9,378,118
Unearned Premiums	53,882,933
All Other Liabilities	44,590,668
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 462,510,081</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 25,501,250
Surplus Funds	\$ 236,297,317
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 261,798,567</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 724,358,188</b>

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of	
Alla General Insurance Corporation	
P.O. Box 11800	
Montgomery	
Alabama	
36191-0801	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 160,480,788
Stocks	27,693,051
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	0
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	6,459,242
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	120,344
Other Admitted Assets	11,855,607
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 206,418,892</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 59,932,650
Loss Adjustment Expenses	11,321,271
Unearned Premiums	48,834,635
All Other Liabilities	8,737,857
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 128,826,413</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 1,500,000
Surplus Funds	\$ 85,092,479
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 86,592,479</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 206,418,892</b>

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St. Paul Medical Liability Insurance Company	
Tax Department	
285 Washington Street	
St. Paul	
Minnesota	
55102	
Assets	
Bonds	\$ 91,953,823
Stocks	0
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	0
Real Estate	0
Cash and Short-Term Investments	2,416,929
Agents' Balances or Uncollected Premiums	5,196,786
Other Admitted Assets	2,511,308
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 99,968,846</b>
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds	
Losses	\$ 33,341,721
Loss Adjustment Expenses	7,496,767
Unearned Premiums	6,795,506
All Other Liabilities	2,669,280
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 49,303,274</b>
Capital Stock	\$ 3,500,000
Surplus Funds	\$ 50,809,376
<b>Total Capital and Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 54,309,376</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds</b>	<b>\$ 99,968,846</b>

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Real Estate		0
Cash and Short-Term Investments		6,757,462
Agents' Balances of Unaffiliated Premiums		3,492,277
Other Admitted Assets		1,028,412
Total Assets	\$	53,429,348
Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds		
Liabilities	\$	4,846,560
Less Adjustment Expenses		2,749,737
Unaffiliated Premiums		28,114,322
All Other Liabilities		3,123,956
Total Liabilities	\$	26,034,945
Capital Stock	\$	4,770,770
Surplus Funds		9,822,293
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### Board directors

Three area community leaders have agreed to serve as directors on the Pearl River Community College Development Foundation Board. Donna Wilson, executive director of the PRCC Foundation and Alumni Affairs Office, announced that Wayne Alexander, left, of Poplarville and Charlotte Travis of Pieyune will represent Pearl River County; and Tom Longo of Waveland will represent Hancock County on the foundation board, which is the fund-raising arm of the college.

## Salvation Army calls for volunteers for Oklahoma

Rising temperatures and more families sorting through rubble left by the recent Oklahoma tornadoes have increased the need for Salvation Army disaster assistance and spurred a need for volunteers.

Salvation Army assistance reached nearly 40,000 people Saturday alone, and volunteers are needed to supplement the 23 Salvation Army relief teams and other resources already at work in Moore, Del City, Midwest City, Newcastle and other areas.

During 12 hours of relief work Saturday, the terms served 37,676 tornado victims and disaster relief workers with meals, drinks, snacks and The Salvation Army's unique brand of comfort.

"We came across a little boy who had fallen in the debris and cut his eye," said Jeffrey Powell, a Salvation Army volunteer from Galveston, Texas.

"His mother was looking for a bandage and he was in tears. I walked up to him and had a teddy bear hidden behind my back. When he saw it, he immediately stopped crying. We found a bandage, too."

Like hundreds of other Salvation Army volunteers who have responded to the victims' plight, Powell took vacation from his job managing a What-A-Burger restaurant to lend a hand in the Moore community.

Since the beginning of disaster service on May 3, Salvation Army volunteers, officers and employees have

served more than 87,000 people through mobile feeding service alone. A disaster distribution center is providing financial aid, food, personal hygiene items, paper products, cleaning supplies, and other necessities.

Lt. Tom Loudon, incident commander, said The Army can address all affected areas, but "volunteers are critical to assist victims in a timely manner."

Anyone interested in volunteering should call 405-270-7800 for information and volunteer assignment.

Other needs include diapers, formula, food, individually sized meals and snacks, sandwich items, bottled water, cleaning supplies, toys, personal hygiene items, work gloves, tents, sunscreen, non-prescription medical supplies and blankets.

No clothing is needed at this time. Corporate gifts in-kind or palletized donations are preferred to expedite transportation and sorting.

Monetary donations may be made with MasterCard, Visa or American Express by calling 1-800-SAL-ARMY, or they may be marked "Disaster Relief" and mailed to P.O. Box 12600, Oklahoma City, OK 73157, to P.O. Box 4857, Jackson, Ms 39296-4857, or to any local Salvation Army office.

### Humane Society needs helpers at Flea Market

The Hancock County Humane Society is in need of volunteers at their Flea Market on Highway 90 next to the Hancock County Walking Track, said Lolly Backlund, spokesman.

The market is open 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Help is needed for any day of the week, and extras are also needed, Backlund said.

If you are interested in further information, contact Backlund at 467-5765, or the Flea Market, 467-7686.

The Humane Society is also in need of donations of knick-knacks, household items, furniture, etc. Just drop items off during business hours. There is a good supply of clothing at present.

### Vo-Tech Center course revision

The Hancock County School District's Board of Education recently approved the district's application to offer a new course, Lodging and Hospitality, at the Hancock County Vocational-Technical Center.

The district will learn later this year whether or not it has received approval from the State Department of Education to implement this new two-year course for students in grades 11 and 12.



### Gulfview ribbon cutting

The Hancock County School District held a ribbon cutting April 24 at Gulfview Elementary School in Lakeshore to celebrate construction/renovations on the school campus. Immediately following the ceremony, visitors enjoyed refreshments in the new 350-seat cafeteria and toured the recently renovated fine arts center, newly constructed four-classroom addition, and other campus facilities. Those in photo are, from left, Board Secretary Tony Caston, Superintendent Terry Randolph; Board President Cheryl Bennett; and Board members Larry Peterson and Billie Lyons. Those on hand for the festivities also included the Board of Education, district and school administrators, community members, elected officials, parents and students.

## Ole Miss summer camps

Balls will be bounced, kicked, hit and thrown this summer at the University of Mississippi, where nine sports camps and a clinic for athletic trainers are planned.

Sponsored by the Department of Athletics, the camps offer something for every interest, age group, skill and fitness levels, as well as present an opportunity for participants to interact with Ole Miss coaches and their staffs.

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Internal Affairs. "Our qualified coaching staffs work hard to provide every camper with a positive, enjoyable experience. They are extremely conscientious about their people and their programs."

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- Baseball School 662-232-7538
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- Soccer Camp, 662-232-7859
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- Softball Camp, 662-232-7186
- Golf Camp, 662-232-8368
- Women's Basketball Camp, 662-232-7592
- Men's Basketball Camp, 662-232-7534
- Tennis Camp, 662-323-7538
- Athletic Training Clinic, 662-232-7246

A variety of camp schedules are available for each sport. Fees and amenities vary. Call the above numbers or visit the sports Web site at [www.OleMissSports.com](http://www.OleMissSports.com) and click on "1999 Sports Camps."



### With Jessie Jackson

The Tania Price family of Bay St. Louis proudly poses with the Rev. Jessie Jackson recently at Gulfside Methodist Assembly in Waveland. Those in photo are, from left, Tania Price, son James Jr. Catchings and daughter, Jennia Catchings. Rev. Jackson visited Gulfside during his recent tour of Mississippi.

## OBITUARIES

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### LOUISE E. SEAL

Louise E. Seal, 85, of the Catahoula community, died Saturday, May 8, 1999, in Gulfport.

Mrs. Seal was a native of Quitman and had been a life-long resident of Hancock County. She was a member of Catahoula Missionary Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Luther L. and Myra A. McKenna McRee; her husband, Oren Seal; and two sisters, Verna Mitchell and Sally Mae Cooper.

Survivors include two sons, Buddy Oren Seal of Waveland and Phillip D. Seal of Picayune; a daughter, Myra A. Sager of Petersburg, Tenn.; nine grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted Monday at Catahoula Missionary Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis was in charge of arrangements.

### LOUIS STARITA SR.

Louis L. Starita Sr., 79, of Pass Christian, died Monday, May 10, 1999, in Gulfport.

Mr. Starita was a resident of

Pass Christian, Pineville community, for approximately 59 years. He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church and an Army veteran of World War II. He was employed for many years with the old 7-Up Bottling Company and thereafter was self-employed operating a grocery in his community.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Vera Sperier Starita; his second wife, Millie Pagano Starita; his parents, Laura and Benjamin Starita; a brother, Benny Starita; two sisters, Josephine Bankston and Laura Ann Crow-Smith.

Survivors include two sons, Louis "Larry" Starita Jr. and Charles "Joey" Starita; two daughters, Susan Madigan and Diane Howell; two brothers, Lawrence Starita and Salvador Starita; a sister, Joy Koniak; and 15 grandchildren.

Visitation will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, Menge Avenue in Pass Christian today, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. There will be celebration of a Funeral Mass at 1 p.m. at the church. Burial will be in Old Delisle Cemetery.

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# BUSINESS NEWS

THE SEA COAST ECHO—THURSDAY, MAY 13, 1999-9A



## Grand opening

Coast Rehabilitation Specialists, 1021 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis, recently celebrated its grand opening with a ribbon cutting. The business offers occupational, speech and physical therapy and audiology. Participating in the ribbon cutting are Jay Lagasse, left, Tim Stanley, Bay St. Louis mayor Eddie Favre, owner Karen Stanley, Kathy Aycock, Virginia Boyle, Steve Seymour, Margaret Hadden, Hancock County Chamber of Commerce executive director Amy Gregory and Mickey Lagasse. (Sea Coast Echo staff photo by Cecilia Howe)

## Enhanced security in place at Bienville, Gulfport ports

In an effort to improve cargo security, deter narcotics smuggling, and protect our national security interests at the Ports of Gulfport and Bienville, the U.S. Customs Service, in partnership with the Mississippi State Port Authority and Linea Peninsular, the primary carrier at Port Bienville, has initiated an enhanced port security program.

This joint security program includes the installation and use of high tech inspection and observation equipment as well as other physical and procedural security improvements.

The program was initiated utilizing Strategic Problem Solving (SPS), a creative, multi-functional approach that seeks to prevent or reduce enforcement violations in addition to enhancing the ability to detect and apprehend "willful violators."

The U.S. customs Service requires that the problem solv-

ing techniques be applied by a multi-disciplinary team of officers.

These teams include not must the different Customs disciplines but often other law enforcement agencies and members of the importing community who are encouraged to achieve solutions to enforcement problems in the areas of narcotics smuggling, money laundering, trade fraud, and outboard violations.

Mark Peeler, port director at the U.S. Customs Port of Gulfport, said in praise of this effort, "The partnership forged between U.S. Customs and private industry is the latest in a series of successful Customs initiatives against illegal drug trafficking. Effectively carrying out our drug interdiction responsibilities and engaging the cooperation of business interests is one of the most important missions of the Customs Service.

Benefits of enhanced secu-

ity programs include reduction theft and damage of cargo, heightened security from potential terrorist activity, and a reduction in illegal contraband into our local schools, communities and neighborhoods.

## USM workshop set at Hancock Chamber

The University of Southern Mississippi Small Business Development Center is offering a workshop, "Thinking About Going Into Business?" Thursday, May 20, 1:30-4 p.m. at the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce, Hwy. 90 in Bay St. Louis.

The workshop is for anyone interested in starting a small business and will cover general information, such as licensing, taxes, market research, business planning and financing. The instructor will be Jill Seafide, business analyst at the USM Small Business Development Center.

Co-sponsors include the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce, Coast Business Technology Center, Greater Biloxi Economic Development Foundation, Gulf Coast Business Services Corporation, and the Mississippi Contract Procurement Center.

## Georgia-Pacific announces stock split

Georgia-Pacific Corp. has announced its board of directors meeting, in conjunction with the corporation's annual shareholders meeting, has declared a two-for-one split of Georgia-Pacific Group's common stock (NYSE:GP) in the form of a special dividend to shareholders of record on May 14, 1999.

The stock divided of one share of Georgia-Pacific Group common stock for each share of Georgia-Pacific Group will be paid June 3, 1999.

Georgia-Pacific Group's common stock, which was redesignated in December 1997, reflects the performance of the corporation's pulp, paper and building products manufacturing and distribution businesses. No stock dividend is being paid on the corporation's separately designated class of common stock, known as The timber company (NYSE:TGP).

Headquartered at Atlanta, Georgia-Pacific (www.gp.com) is the leading manufacturer and distributor of building products in the United States and one of the world's leading manufacturers and distributors of pulp, paper and building products and related chemicals.

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## Power Dynamics open house at Stennis today

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In conjunction with ARMS, the Mississippi Department of Economic Development provides low cost loans, property and sales tax exemptions and employment incentives creating an attractive incentive for businesses to relocate to the state.

The facilities and equipment offered at Stennis Space Center allowed PDI to design and manufacture engineered equipment resulting in the creation of approximately 100 jobs in Mississippi.

Due to its partnership with Searex Incorporated in building \$100,000,000 worth of boats at Ingalls Shipyard, PDI is currently seeking welders, fitters and mechanics which will result in the employment of an additional 30 to 40 people.

Today, 3-6 p.m., PDI is conducting an open house featuring cocktails, buffet, and a tour of its facilities to showcase the op-

portunities available under this innovative federally funded program.

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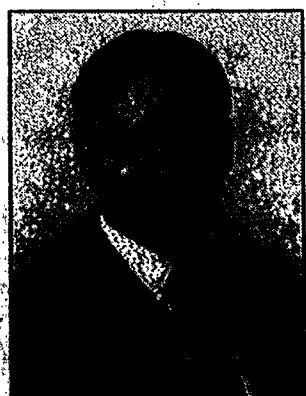
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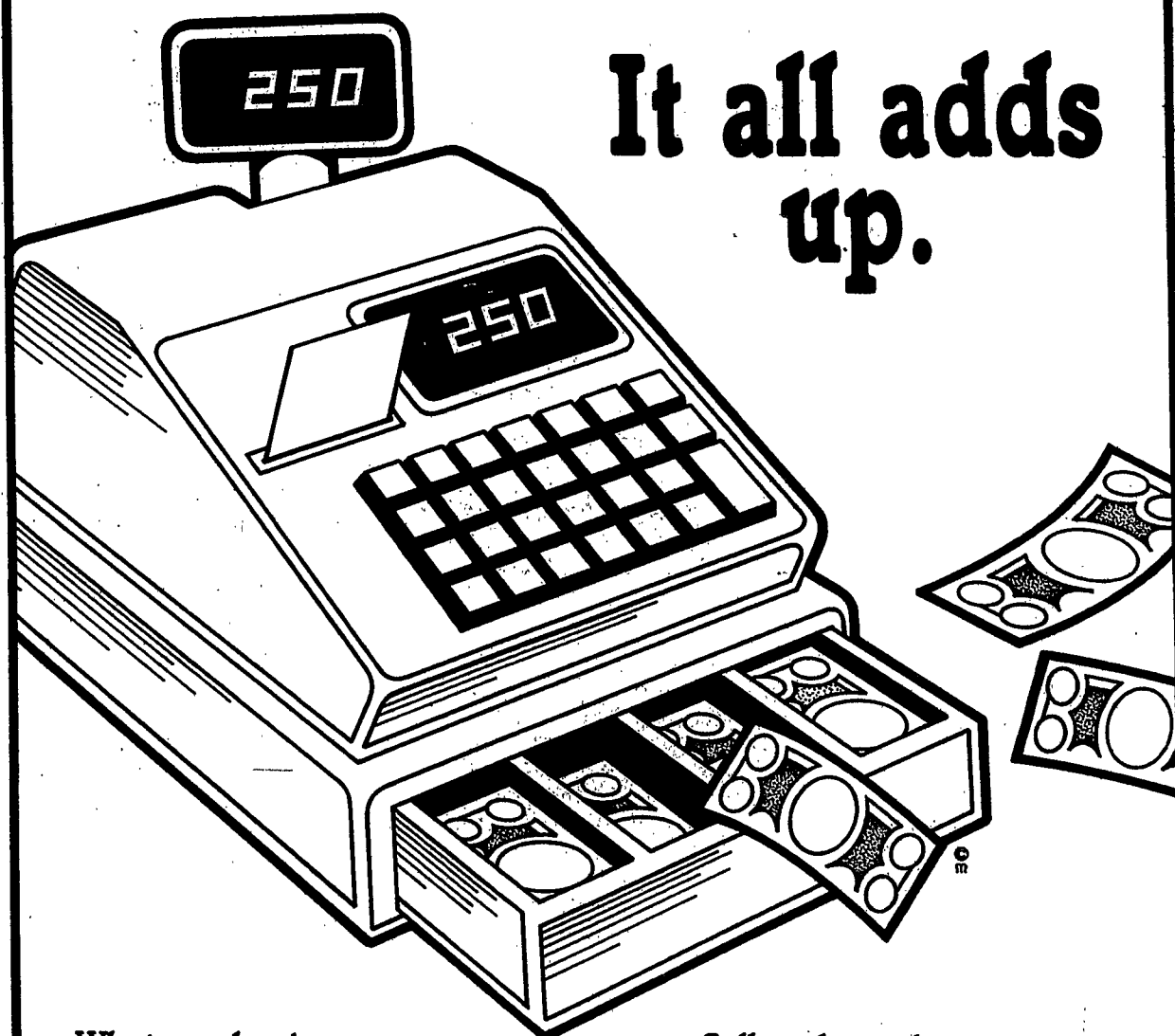
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## School

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challenged business manager Garland Cuevas to come up with some innovative financing for a possible pay hike and to report at the next board meeting.

Board president Bryon Griffith suggested to Davis to select a representative to attend the board's budget planning sessions so they would be more aware of the process.

In other matters, the board approved payment number eight to GM&R Construction in the amount of \$525,422 for ongoing work on the new Middle School. This brings the total net paid so far to GM&R to \$1,902,490. The total contract on the new school is \$7,647,150.

Pascagoula architect Chet Allred, of Slaughter/Allred/McNabb, P.A., said construction on the Middle School project is a little behind schedule but was hopeful the contractor would be able to catch up and finish on time. December 1, 1999 is the contract deadline. This could be extended to allow for "weather" days. The project is about 30 percent complete.

The board also approved a payment of \$42,674 to Associated Food Equipment of Gulfport for kitchen equipment at the new school. The total contract price for the kitchen equipment is \$205,175.00.

In other matters, the board tabled a request from Dr. Reed to deny a student release. Reed stated it is the normal policy of the district to not grant releases and that the student had not been accepted by another district.

Griffith said that the district did not want students changing schools at will but that each case should be judged on its own merits. He requested additional information and the board then voted to table the matter.

An attempt to name a sole source provider for computer supplies also ran into a road block. The board had several concerns and did not fully understand the request. Additional information was re-



### Seeks raise

Linda Davis, right, representing school secretaries, addressed the Bay-Waveland School Board Monday night. The group is seeking a 20 percent pay increase. (Sea Coast Echo photo by Randy Ponder)

quested and the motion was tabled.

Cuevas and technology advisor Andy Loup explained after the meeting that they were simply attempting to have one vendor be responsible for the operation of the new eight grade computer lab.

The 24 workstations and file server for the lab have already been purchased for approximately \$68,000 through state bid procedures. Cuevas estimated the cost for the installation of the system and adding a few peripherals such as head sets and backup software would total about \$3,000.

During community input at the start of the meeting, North Bay Elementary teacher, Mary Kay Deen, requested the board attend an evening function at the school. Griffith explained that it was difficult for the board to attend every activity at the various schools. "We have three members on this board who are members of the medical

community. They are lucky to be able to attend these meetings," Griffith stated.

Following approval of routine items, the board went into executive session to discuss personnel and legal matters. The session was cut short when Griffith became ill and had to be rushed to the hospital.

Yvonne Griffith, Bryon's wife, reported Wednesday afternoon that he had emergency surgery to remove his gallbladder. She added that he was doing fine and was expected to be released from the hospital today.

Board members Griffith, Boston, Cleveland Williams and Irene Koskan were present at the meeting. Richard Flowers was absent.

The school board meets the second and fourth Monday of each month at the district offices located at 201 Carrol Avenue, Bay St. Louis, behind Bay Middle School beginning at 6:30 p.m.

## St. Paul April Students of Month

St. Paul Catholic School announces its April Students of the Month. In order to be selected, the students have shown outstanding abilities in citizenship, academic achievements, good conduct, self-improvement, respect for others, leadership, service and involvement in extra-curricular activities.

Those recognized include: Pre-K, Brooke Crowder; Kin-

dergarten, Jimmy Donlin; first grade, T. J. Vaught; second grade, William Bonney; third grade, Elizabeth Nguyen and Cory O'Connor; fourth grade, Carolyn Crowder; fifth grade, Stephen Keel; and sixth grade, Wynne Taylor.

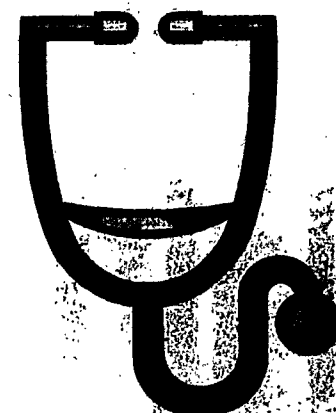
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## Summit

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Coccimiglio also said he expected non-gaming revenues to grow faster than gambling revenues because of all the new hotels, restaurants, etc. "The major unknown that could affect the market would be another hurricane. That's a risk of doing business here on the Coast."

"Few industries have developed and evolved in the 1990s like gaming," said Donald D. Snyder, president and board member of Boyd Gaming Corporation.

"The pace of change shows no signs of letting up. Our customers are ready to move up to a higher level. Introducing something new will bring more people into our market place. The bar has been continuously raised. The opening of the Beau Rivage raises the bar again. Not just here on the Coast, but for all of us," Snyder explained.

"We are often compared to Las Vegas and Atlantic City, but do we want that?" Barry A. Shier, chairman and chief executive officer of Golden Nugget Las Vegas Corporation, Beau Rivage Resorts, Inc. asked. Shier is also executive vice president, marketing and hotel operations for Mirage Resorts Inc.

In order to attract more people and to give the area more name recognition, Shier suggested changing the name of Gulfport-Biloxi Regional Airport to Gulf Coast International Airport. He also stressed the importance of marketing the Coast as a whole and to use the term Mississippi Gulf Coast. "Once we get them here, we can market individual locations."

"We're on the same level now as New Orleans," Shier added. "The major New Orleans restaurants will soon have a presence here. They can't afford

not to. Gaming is the biggest anchor for retail sales. It's like a big magnet."

Shier addressed several key challenges the Coast gaming market faces. The biggest problem he sees is a shortage of workers. "The labor market is tapped out. Anyone who wants a job, has a job."

"We also need to think about gateway improvement. Not just what visitors see when they get off the plane, but in each community," Shier explained.

Touching on the increased traffic problems in the area, Shier stated, "We've always had traffic on Highway 90. Now we have a revenue stream to deal with it."

In conclusion, Shier said the Coast needs to position itself as a resort destination not only to other states, but also to the rest of this state.

The Southern Gaming Summit is billed as the largest and most important gaming convention and conference held outside Las Vegas. Several hundred casino and vendor representatives attended the two-day event at the Mississippi Coast Coliseum and Convention Center.

## Pass

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and private bill passed by the legislature. But, Ward 2 Alderman Margaret Jean Kalif claimed there were conflicting opinions from the AG's office on whether the Commission was created illegally.

Ever since the Commission was dissolved, McDonald has personally overseen the management of the harbor, assisted by Harbormaster J.J. Lassabe, but several aldermen complained privately and publicly that more public input was needed.

This week, McDonald said he wouldn't object to an advisory committee being appointed, but he added, "It must be a well-

rounded group."

The Mayor said commercial fishermen should be represented, as well as pleasure boat owners, the Pass Christian Yacht Club and the businesses now operating at the harbor.

He envisioned the proposed citizens advisory committee would operate much like the city's Planning Commission.

"I see it as a buffer between the Mayor and Aldermen," said McDonald.

He said groups requesting one change or another at the harbor would first go before the advisory committee, which would make a recommendation to the Mayor and Aldermen.

## Bond

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ting some financial aid for the track extensions from approximately \$11 million that the state has set aside in a revolving rail loan fund.

At the airport, the Commission needs to refurbish its elevated water storage tank and to continue with other improvements needed before Stennis

can qualify for a Federal Aviation Administration grant to install an Instrument Lighting System at the airport.

The Board of Supervisors meets in a recess session May 17, and Commissioners hope to have the resolution ready to present to them at that meeting.

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# COMMUNITY

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## VFW Post 3253 recognizes outstanding civil servants

Bay St. Louis Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3253, presented special recognition awards to outstanding employees of Bay St. Louis, Waveland and the Hancock County Sheriff's Department.

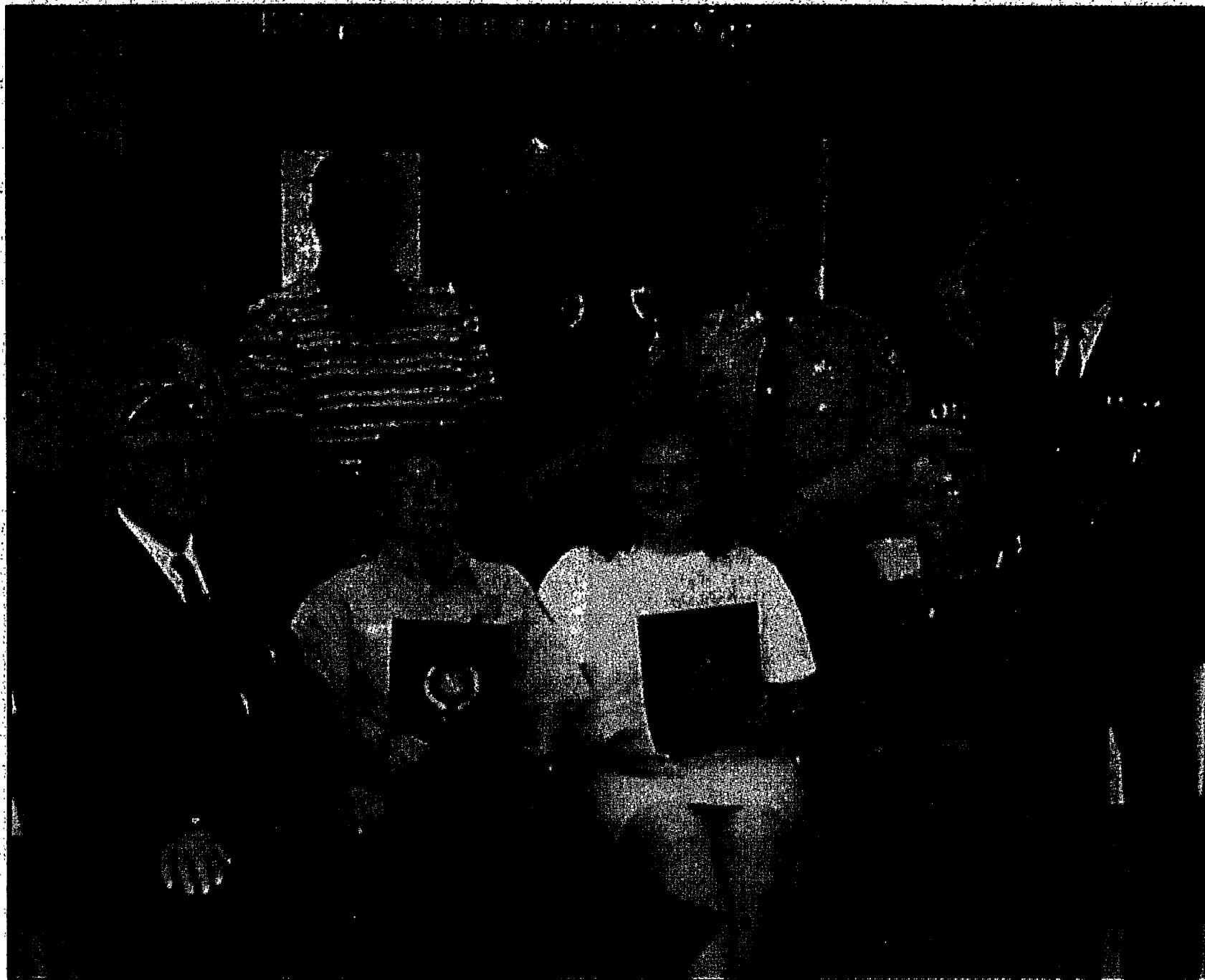
The employees were selected by their department heads. Gene Schloegel, the Mississippi All American Commander, made the presentation of the certificates. Schloegel is past commander of VFW Post 3253.

The program is a May 1 Loyalty Day affair by

the National Veterans of Foreign Wars and is carried out at all VFW posts throughout the United States to recognize the outstanding citizens of the communities. Loyalty Day is a VFW recognition to offset the former Communist World's May Day Military Might display, Schloegel said.

A dinner was included for those recognized and also for their families and guests.

Randolph Bourgeois is commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3253.



### VFW honorees

Bay St. Louis, Waveland and county employees were recently honored by the Bay St. Louis Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3253. Those in photo are front row from left, Gene Schloegel, VFW All American commander; Capt. Pam San Filippo, Bay firefighter; EMT Stephanie Caccappio, American Medical Response; Cindy

Schoonmaker, VFW 3253 Auxiliary president. Top row from left, Lt. Tony Mallini, Waveland firefighter; Lt. Robert Lee, Bay Police Department; Sgt. Bill Roessling, Waveland Police Department; Deputy Branden Ladner, Hancock County Sheriff's Department; and Major Timothy Krause, Commander, Bay High JROTC.



Hancock County Sheriff's Department Deputy Branden Ladner, left, is congratulated by Cindy Schoonmaker, Sheriff Ronnie Peterson and Gene Schloegel.



Bay Firefighter Capt. Pam San Filippo, third from left, receives her certificate from Gene Schloegel. Others in photo are from left, Cindy Schoonmaker and Bay Fire Chief Robert Gavagnie.



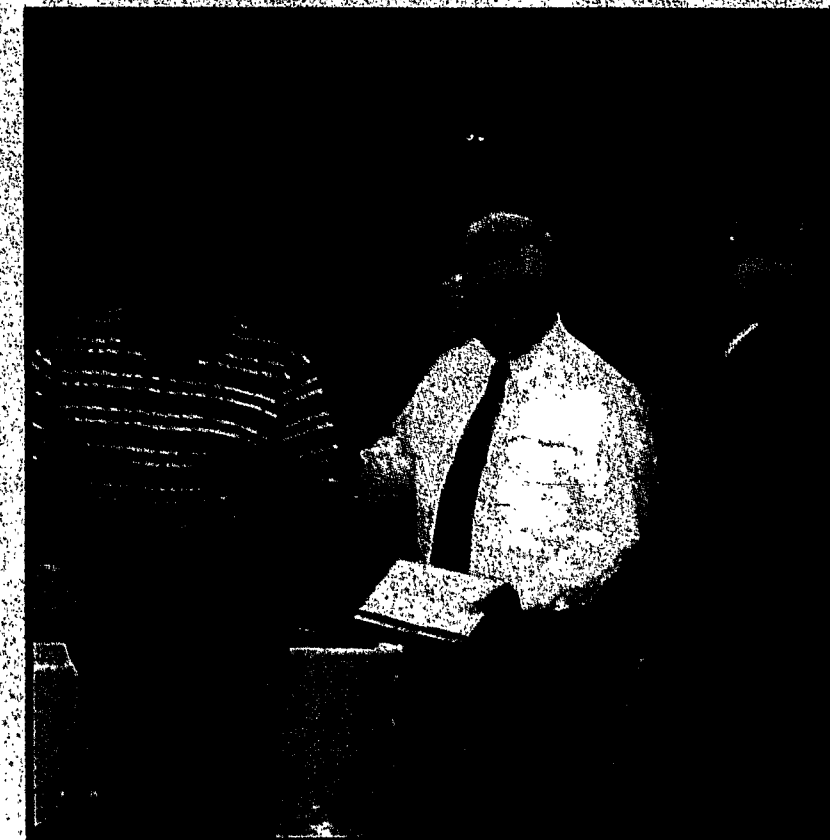
Waveland Patrolman Sgt. Bill Roessling, left, is congratulated by Cindy Schoonmaker, Waveland Police Chief Jimmy Varnell, and Gene Schloegel.



EMT Stephanie Caccappio, center, of American Medical Response is congratulated by Gene Schloegel, right, and Cindy Schoonmaker.



Waveland Firefighter Lt. Tony Mallini, third from left, receives a certificate from Gene Schloegel, right. Others in photo are from left, Waveland Assistant Fire Chief Steve Garber and Cindy Schoonmaker. Mallini, a Desert Storm veteran, was also presented with a membership to the VFW.



Bay Police Lt. Robert Lee, left, checks his certificate as he is congratulated by Bay Police Chief Frank McNeil, center and Gene Schloegel.



# SPORTS

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## SSC holds spring sports awards ceremony

**BY JOSEPH W. GEX II**  
St. Stanislaus held its annual spring sports awards banquet on Sunday, May 9th at the Our Lady of the Gulf Community Center.

The sports represented were baseball, golf, tennis, and track. Baseball led off the evening with coaches Stace McRaney, Will Seymour, and Chris Yeager presenting letterman certificates and major awards.

The players receiving vascity letter for baseball were Brandon Arcement, Bryce Breland, Evan Coote, Jamie Cuevas, Jeremy Edwards, Neil Favre, Zach Gatlin, Justin Gunter, Adam Knight, Steven Knight, Brantley Ladner, Taylor LaFontaine, Greg LeBlanc, Brandon Lewis, Justin Pucheu, and Jason Santiago.

Steven Knight received the batting average award and the RBI award. Jamie Cuevas brought home the defensive award and the pitching award.

'Adam Knight garnered the Most Improved award while Justin Gunter claimed the Hustle award. The Coaches award was merited by Jeremy Edwards.

Steven Knight brought home the Mr. Rock-a-chaw award, which symbolizes the most valuable player on the team.

Coach Dave Kenson was the next presenter as he awarded

his golf team with lettermen certificates and major awards. The athletes receiving varsity letters in golf were John Carr, Michael Dauro, Kyle Edrington, Edward Flores, Chris Genin, Kenny Jones, Kyle Kidd, and Ryan Rupp.

The Most Improved award went to two players Kyle Edrington and John Carr while the Mr. Rock-a-chaw award was merited by Edward Flores.

The tennis team, headed up by coach Myron Labat, was next in line. The tennis team successfully defended their Class 4A state title this spring by defeating Oxford and Oak Grove by the score of 11-10.

The tennis players receiving vascity letters were Michael Carter, Drew Cranford, Padrick Dennis, Bryce Labat, Allen Leone, Garrett Mann, Philip Marino, Kunal Patel, Scott Wallace, and Chris Williams.

The Hustle award was merited by the Class 4A state singles runner-up Michael Carter. He also received special recognition for his accomplishments in boys singles this past season.

Garrett Mann and his partner in mixed doubles, Sarah Carter, received special recognition for defending their mixed doubles state title and repeating as champions.

Philip Marino and Scott Wallace, the cornerstones of the tennis team with a perfect 32-0

record over the past two seasons, received special recognition for three-peating as state doubles champions this past season. Marino and Wallace also received the team MVP award for tennis.

In track, coach Steve Flannery presented letterman certificates and major award to the 14th ranked track Rocks.

Theones receiving varsity letters were Jesse Battle, Nick Benvenuti, Kris Cannon, Junior Davis, Aaron Dunklin, Paul Farve, Willie Golden, Tim Heavey, Claudio Iombo, Helder Iombo, Gary Leung, Kyle Lewis, James McDonald, T.J. McKeough, Christian Nemes, Stephen Peterman, Lucas Vining, Aaron White, and Grady Willis.

The Most Valuable Field Event award went to Willie Golden and Stephen Peterman. Both winners advanced to the state meet last week in Jackson.

The Most Valuable Track award went to Paul Farve who advanced to South State competition as a sprinter.

The Coaches award went to Tim Heavey and Aaron White. The Mr. Rock-a-chaw award was claimed by team points leader Kris Cannon.

In junior high awards, Jeremy Lewis received the outstanding pitcher award while Gabe Willis brought home Best Offensive Player honors in

baseball.

In junior high track, Kyle Lewis claimed MVP honors in track events and Derek Fogarty took home MVP honors in the field events.

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## PRCC soccer signing

Shannon Rose, left, Lindsey Piazza, Jason Rieben and Steven Boudro have signed to play on the newly formed Pearl River Community College soccer teams. The four standouts played for Bay High School under the direction of head coach Ken Matthew, standing at right. Former St. Stanislaus soccer coach Tim Burns, standing at left, is the PRCC head coach.

## Sports Hall of Fame to host golf tourney

On Tuesday, May 18, the Timberton Golf Club in Jackson will be the first stop on the three-tournament Mississippi Sports Legends golf scramble benefitting the Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame and Museum. The event is sponsored by Great Southern Tractor Company.

"USM has produced so many great members of the Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame, we wanted to do something to show our appreciation by honoring them," said Margaret Ferriss who is organizing the tournament on behalf of the Museum.

In addition to USM greets like Brett Favre, Sammy Winder, Hugh Pepper and Bucky McElroy, golfers will be teamed with other sports legends like Archie Manning, Boe Ferriss, Ralph Boston and Barney Poole.

Coach Jeff Brower, Coach Joe

Lee Dunn from Mississippi State, and current NFL players Kris Mungum of the Carolina Panthers and Terrell Buckley of the Miami Dolphins will also be participating.

Registration and lunch provided by Lone Star Steakhouse will begin at 11 a.m. with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. The \$100 entry fee includes lunch, fun bag, green and cart fees, prizes on par 3's and 5's, and drawing for door prizes and overall grand prizes at the post-tournament awards party sponsored by Great Southern Tractor Company.

Sponsorships and playing spots are still available. All support to the Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame and Museum is tax-deductible.

For information, contact Margaret Ferriss at 1-800-280-3263.

## Carey baseball camps set for Hattiesburg

The annual William Carey Crusader Baseball Camps will be held June 7-11, 14-18 and 21-25 on the Carey campus in Hattiesburg, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. daily.

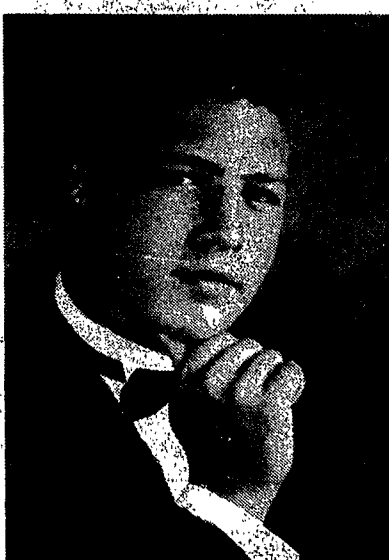
The June 7-11 and 21-25 day camps are for ages 7-12 and will include fundamental aspects of all phases of the game with individualized instruction.

Cost is \$125, which

includes instruction, noon meals and t-shirt. The June 14-18 day camp is for ages 13-17. The cost is the same.

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Applications may be obtained by calling 601-582-6110 or write Bobby Halford, William Carey College, 498 Tuscan Avenue, Hattiesburg, MS 39401-5499.



Joshua Presnell

## Presnell wins weightlifting 3A meet

Joshua Presnell, grandson of the late Estelle (Presnell) Depreo, traveled to Lakeland with fellow teammates from Vernon High School and his father, Coach Greg Presnell.

During the two-day competition, held April 16-17, Presnell set two state records.

Presnell, lifting in the 219-pound weight class, bench pressed 370 pounds topping the previous record of 355 pounds.

His clean and jerk lift of 305 pounds, combined with his bench press lift, gave him a total of 675 pounds, setting a new state records. He plans to attend a state college, where he will major in education and begin a coaching career.

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## Baseball Camp date set

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II

The third annual Gulf Coast Baseball Camp will be held June 7-11 at the St. Stanislaus Baseball Field on the grounds of the Brother Philip Memorial Athletic Complex in Bay St. Louis.

The camp is open to boys ages five years to ninth grade. The camp will start daily at 9am and end at 12 noon.

The camp fee is \$50 per camper and registration will begin on the first day of camp starting at 7:30am thru 9am.

The instructors of the camp will be SSC coaches Jay Ladner, Will Seymour, and Chris Yeager.

For more information on the camp or early registration, please call Jay Ladner at 467-9057, ext. 273 or 255-4490.

## Wildcat tennis team ends season

Pearl River Community College's men's tennis team finished tied for fifth place in the state and sixth in Region 23 following Friday and Saturday's 1999 men's region 23 State Tournament held in Ellisville on the Jones Junior College campus.

PRCC wrapped up its regular season last Thursday with a 7-2 loss to Jones. The Wildcats were 8-5 for the regular season.

In the state standings, Hinds was the champ with a score of 25, followed by Jones (22), Northeast (14), Copiah-Lincoln (11), PRCC (9), Itawamba (9), Mississippi Gulf Coast (7), East Central (2), Holmes (2), Southwest (1) and Northwest (0).

The final Region 23 standings were identical chronologically, but Meridian, which is not a member of the MACJC, finished third with a score of 14.

In No. 1 singles, fourth-seeded Joey Sumrall (PR) drew a first-round bye, then fell to Ryan Season (JC) 6-2, 6-1 in the second round.

In No. 2 singles, fourth-seeded Jeff Rose (PR) of Bay St. Louis drew a first-round bye, then defeated Matt Stovall (East Central) 6-1, 6-5 in the second round. Rose fell 6-0, 6-1 to Fischer (Meridian) in the third round.

In No. 3 singles, second-seeded Kevin Goldsmith (PR) drew a first-round bye, then defeated Ray Waddell (EC) 6-2,

6-4 in the second round. Goldsmith fell 6-4, 6-3 to fourth-seeded Norman Epps (Northeast) in the third round.

In No. 4 singles, Matt Nunnally (PR) drew a first-round bye, then fell to second-seeded Porter (Meridian) 6-3, 6-1 in the second round.

In No. 5 singles, Mark Hancock (PR) drew a first-round bye, then defeated Pomeroy (Itawamba) 6-3, 6-5 in the second round. Hancock fell 6-0, 6-4 to second-seeded Alex Green (Jones County) in the third round.

In No. 6 singles, Kevin Rhudy (PR) drew a first-round bye, then fell to Chris Coats (NE) 6-2, 6-4 in the second round. Coats went on to win the overall men's title.

In No. 1 doubles, top-seeded Cote-Fischer (Meridian) defeated Nunnally-Rose (PR) 6-1, 6-3. Cote-Fischer went on to win the overall men's doubles title.

In No. 2 doubles, third-seeded Goldsmith-Sumrall (PR) drew a first round bye, then fell to Barclay Mullins-Green (JC) 6-3, 4-6, 7-5 in the second round.

In No. 3 doubles, Rhudy-Nando Lopes (PR) defeated Austin-Johnson (Holmes) 6-1, 6-4 in the first round, then defeated Matt Hall-J. J. Jullis (C-L) 6-2, 3-6, 6-4 in the second round. Rhudy-Lopes fell to Joey Tuccio-Bryan Parks (Hinds) 6-1, 6-1 in the third round.

## Kiln softball tourney set

The 1st Annual Carl (Big O) Olsen Memorial Softball Tournament at the Kiln VFW Field will be held Fri., Sat., & Sun., May 29, 20 & 31.

Men's teams and Co-Ed teams. For more information call Don Necaise, 255-9654, or Quinn McKay, 255-9863.

## Sea Wolves seek Kelly Cup title

The schedule for the 1999 East Coast Hockey League Kelly Cup championship series was announced Tuesday.

The schedule is:

Game 1: Saturday, May 15, 7:35 p.m., Mississippi  
Game 2: Sunday, May 16, 7:05 p.m., Mississippi  
Game 3: Wednesday, May 19, 7:05 p.m. (EST) at Richmond  
Game 4: Sunday, May 23, 6:05 p.m. (EST) at Richmond  
Game 5: Monday, May 24, 7:05 p.m., Mississippi  
Game 6: Friday, May 28, 7:35 p.m. (EST) at Richmond  
Game 7: Sunday, May 30, 8:05 p.m., Mississippi  
Tickets to game 1 and 2 are now on sale at the Coliseum

Box Office and at all TicketMaster outlets. Tickets can be ordered by calling Change-by-Phone at 385-2600. Ticket prices are \$18, \$14, \$12 and \$9.

Mississippi Sea Wolves fans are reminded to wear white to "white-out" the Mississippi Coast Coliseum in a show of support for the Sea Wolves players.

Fans are also encouraged to wear their white spirit ribbons and to tie a white ribbon on their car antennae.

Ribbons are available free at all Munro Petroleum Shell stations by the Miller Beer display. White Sea Wolves license plates are also available at all Munro Shell stations of \$1.



## Dupuy inks with Wildcats

Pearl River Community College's Wildcat baseball team has signed Bay High lefthanded pitcher Brandon Dupuy, right, to a grant-in-aid scholarship for the 1999 season. Dupuy, son of Glenn and Tina Dupuy of Bay St. Louis, was an integral part of coach Corey Bowles' Tigers this past season. Dupuy is also a sharpshooter on the basketball court as he won a semester tuition waiver by sinking the most three-point shots in one minute at the recent Spring Fest on PRCC's Poplarville campus. His sister, Becca, was a standout softball player for coach Laurie Neelis' Lady Wildcats the 1997 and 1998 seasons. (PRCC photo)

## Angelette claims Cajun Sprint win at Sun Coast

The Cajun Sprinters lined up for the feature race of the night at Sun Coast Speedway, according to finishes in earlier heat races.

This placed Herman Carrier, of Amite, alongside Michael Herrington Jr. of Baton Rouge on the first row with Darrell Hyde of Ponchatoula and Charley Bush of Laurel on the second row.

The green flag lap saw Herrington get out of shape in turn two allowing Carrier to take the early lead, with Kelly Angelette of Thibodaux moving from his third row starting spot into third on the first completed lap.

Angelette was able to move into the lead in the early going, while Bruce Blaker of Long Beach also moved up through traffic into the third spot.

These three came up on lap traffic with Angelette moving by safely, but it was not the case with Herrington and Blaker who got caught up with a lap car.

Herrington suffered race-ending damage after the encounter, while Blaker was able to continue in the second spot. Angelette was able to move to a comfortable lead for the remainder of the race while Blaker held off Carrier and Scott Wimberly of Laurel.

This feature win for Angelette gives the 98 points champion and Lane Whittington four wins each in the previous eight starts of the 99 season. Whittington was on hand but was nursing a sick engine and could not make laps for points during the race.

The IMCA feature got underway with Robert Casada taking the lead from heat win-

ner Wallace Allen and appeared he might claim his first feature of the season, but mechanical problems ended his hopes for the win.

Kalif Sellier also moved past Allen to take over the lead and was never headed on his way to the checkers. Allen was able to hold off last week's winner Donald Parker to finish in the second spot. Chris Moran, making his first appearance of the season, finished fourth over Ben Stephens.

Mike Ladner claimed the Pro Stock feature in green to checkers fashion with a comfortable lead over second place finisher Rodney Barber who was driving in place of brother David Barber. Eddie Willis finished third while Randy Deshamp, and Bill Stewart rounded out the top five. Jeremy Broadus won the earlier heat race.

Joe McKay added another feature win in a 21-car field of Street Stocks by holding off last week's winner, Rodney Barber. McKay led every lap of the feature with Barber challenging on each lap before settling for the second spot.

Ryan Ladner, who has a couple of wins to his credit, finished third over Billy Riels, who was making his first appearance of the season.

Lonnie Scarbrough and Danny Lee rounded out the top six finishers. Owen Kosbab and Luther Fletcher were heat race winners.

Michael Beech won flag-to-flag outing in the Rookie class over Wayne Carroll and Larry Bodie. Robert Echols was heat race winner.

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May 13, Tim McGraw, 8 p.m., \$45 and \$50 (Brett Favre Fourward Foundation Benefit Concert)

May 28, John Kay & Stephenwolf, 9 p.m. \$10, \$12 and \$15

All ticketed shows may be purchased through TicketMaster or at Casino Magic Gift Shop by calling 1-800-5-MAGIC-5, ext. 4535.

#### 'Pick A Car' Promotion

Casino Magic is dealing out new cars every week for seven weeks. Guests may register now through May 22 to win a new car each Saturday night (through May 22). Ten finalists will be drawn every Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 9 p.m.

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#### Celebrate a Century of Magic

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The Magic Money Players Club is doing something new for all new members who sign up for the Magic Money Players Club card. All new members earning 10 points on the day of joining receive a free gift upon point verification.



Tim McGraw

## Additional tickets released for Tim McGraw performance

Due to increased demand, Casino Magic Bay St. Louis has released additional concert tickets for Tim McGraw, the Academy of Country Music's Male Vocalist of the Year.

McGraw performs Thursday, May 13 at 8 p.m. in the Magical Entertainment Complex. Tickets are \$45 and \$50 with proceeds going to the Brett Favre Fourward Foundation.

The foundation designates all proceeds to Mississippi charities benefiting disabled and disadvantaged children.

McGraw's ever-talented wife, Faith Hill, is scheduled to be featured on the ABC morning show, Good Morning America, in a live broadcast from Mobile, Ala. the same week. Hill was also a four-award winner at the country music awards show.

"This Kiss" won her the single of the year and video of the

year awards. She won female vocalist and best vocal event of the year award with husband, McGraw, for "Just to Hear You Say That You Love Me."

McGraw is known for such hits as "Don't Take the Girl," "Just to See You Smile," "Indian Outlaw," "Please Remember Me," and more.

Tickets may be purchased through any Ticketmaster location or by calling the Casino Magic Box Office at 1-800-5-MAGIC-5, ext. 4535.

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## Motorcycle group to rally at Magic

The Gold Wing Road Riders Association Region "A" will hold its annual district rally at Casino Magic Bay St. Louis May 20-23. The rally is one of the premiere national motorcycle events of the year.

Region A encompasses the states of Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida and South Carolina.

Theme is "Discover the Magic in Mississippi," approximately 1,000 participants will attend the event.

The Gold Wing Road Riders

Association has over 65,000 members in all 50 states and 34 countries. There are 850 members in Mississippi with 75 of them residing on the Gulf Coast.

The association's activities are centered around "Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge."

Seminars in motorcycle safety, CPR and first aid will be conducted to improve our members' skills and prepare them to render assistance to others if needed.

## Tunica adds new attractions

Three recent additions to "Destination Tunica" are among several of the new attractions and activities added to world-famous gaming opportunities located in Tunica.

River Bend Links at Casino Strip Resort was developed by an alliance of three Tunica casino resorts (Sam's Town, Harrahs and Hollywood) who met the need for resort-style entertainment for their guests.

The new 18-hole, 6,900 plus yards golf course was designed by Clyde Johnston and is adjacent to all three casinos.

Cottonwoods Golf Club located at the Grand Tunica Resort was designed by PGA professional Hale Irwin and provides yet another challenging links course.

Cottonwoods Golf Club also has a driving/practice range and a golf school is on the horizon for this 7,000-yard championship golf course. The spacious greens and wide-open fairways make this a challenging links course for any golfer.

The Willows Sporting Clays Center at the Grand Tunica Resort offers something special for those looking for a new and different adventure.

This popular new sport is often referred to as "golf with a shotgun." The Willows provides a safe, controlled environment for beginner and pro alike.

Two courses and three shooting features, as well as an on-site pro shop with loaner

guns and certified instructors await "Destination Tunica" visitors.

Sporting clays has become an exciting and challenging activity which more and more people are interested in participating. The Willows adds yet another dimension to "Destination Tunica" which hunters and fishermen already consider a sportsman's paradise.

"Tunica, the nation's third largest gaming destination with nine of the world's most famous names in casinos, also offers a wide choice of complete resort activities," said Webster Franklin, executive director of the Tunica Convention and Visitors Bureau.

The casinos include Bally's Saloon and Gambling Hall, Fitzgeralds Casino/Hotel, Gold Strike Casino Resort, Grand Casino Tunica, Harrahs Tunica Casino and Hotel, Hollywood Casino and Hotel, Horseshoe Casino and Hotel, Sam's Town Hotel & Gambling Hall, and Sheraton Casino & Hotel.

The new Isle of Capri Casino is slated to open later this summer in Tunica.

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## St. Rose summer camp set

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Final registration will be Friday and Saturday, May 14-15 at the St. Rose Parish Center, 301 S. Necaise Avenue in Bay St. Louis, 9 a.m.-noon. Registration fee is \$8.

"We are also offering for older girls (13-16), whose parents do not want them home alone during the summer, specialized camp activities geared to their age level," said Yolande Bradley, camp director.

For details, call Bradley at 228-467-7347.

## USM Gulf Coast commencement



Judge Robin Midcalf

Harrison County Court Judge Robin Alfred Midcalf will deliver the commencement address at the University of southern Mississippi-Gulf Coast's spring graduation ceremony May 15.

Commencement will be held at 9 a.m. on the front lawn of the Gulf Park campus, with 169 graduates scheduled to accept their degrees. 140 will receive undergraduate degrees, 28 will receive masters' degrees and one will receive a specialist degree.

Midcalf, a Harrison County attorney who began serving on the bench in January, is a former member of the Harrison County Board of Supervisors. She is co-founder and currently serves on the board of directors of the "Values + Education = Success" mentoring program.

A member of the Girl Scouts-Gulf Pine Council board, she has received numerous honors and awards for her public service.

Midcalf earned her juris doctor degree in 1988 from the Mississippi School of Law.

She earned a bachelor of science degree in business administration from William Carey College's Gulf Coast campus and an associate degree from the Jefferson Davis campus of Mississippi Gulf Coast Junior College. She has a daughter, Ebony, who attends Mississippi State University.

In case of rain, the commencement ceremony will be moved to the Long Beach First Baptist Church on Jeff Davis Avenue.

## Local students graduating at Mississippi State

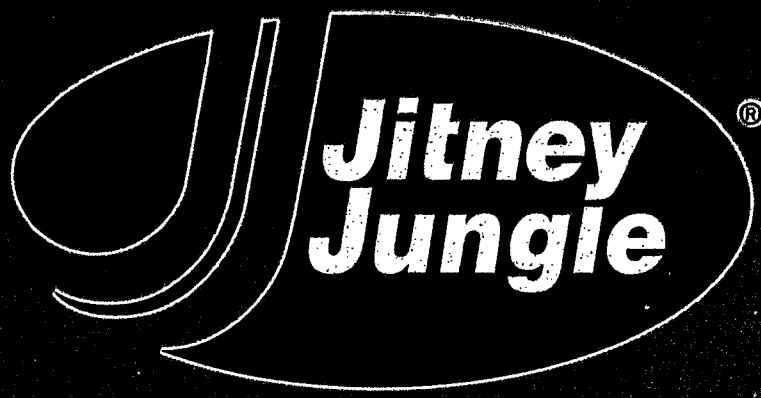
More than 1,900 Mississippi State University students are candidates for degrees at the conclusion of the 1999 spring semester.

The May 13 graduation program begins at 1:15 p.m. in Humphrey Coliseum.

Will D. Carpenter of Chesterfield, Mo., retired vice president and general manager for new products with St. Louis-based Monsanto Co., will deliver the commencement address.

A 1952 MSU agronomy graduate and Moorhead native, he has received widespread recognition for his role in helping craft the 1993 international chemical weapons ban treaty.

Spring semester degree candidates from Hancock County include Chad D. Ambrose, bachelor of arts in engineering; Hendrick W. Daman, bachelor of business administration degree; and Charles W. Stricklin, bachelor of business administration degree.



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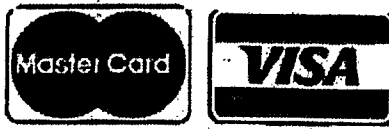


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## Help Wanted

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**COORDINATOR OF TECHNICAL & AUTOMATION SERVICES:** Responsible for Library Automation (Dynix) and traditional TS functions for Hancock County (MS) Library System. Knowledge/experience of MARC, Cataloging/Circulation Systems, Acquisitions and Collection Development. Supervise clerk and paraprofessional Member of management team. MLS/ALA accredited required. Salary from \$25,000 depending upon experience. Applications will be accepted until position is filled. Resume to: Patricia Planchette, Director, Hancock County Library System, 312 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520-3595. FAX 228-467-5503. EOE.

**COUNTER HELP: BIG E GROCERY.** Apply at 600 S. Beach Blvd., 1-3 pm, Mon-Wed., 10am-3pm Thur-Fri.

**HELP WANTED:** Earn up to \$500 per week assembling products at home. No experience. INFO 1-504-646-1700 DEPT. MS-290.

**HOMEWORKERS NEEDED:** \$635 weekly processing mail. Easy! No experience needed. Call 1-800-426-3203, Ext. 5100, 25 hrs.

**WANTED: CLEANING JOBS!** Houses and offices. Excellent references. 467-5105.

**MANAGER/MAINTENANCE** for small trailer park. Free rent & electric, minimum 80 hrs/mo. Must be bondable, good driving record. Couple a plus. Pet-free environment. Pearlinton, MS. 228-533-7001.

**MECHANIC, EXP. GAS & OR DIESEL, TIRE MAN, TRUCKS.** Must have own hand tools. Call 463-0600.

**NEED A SUMMER CAMP DIRECTOR** and Asst. Pre-K Teacher for S.C.D.C. Call 228-688-3224 or send resume to S.C.D.C. Rd. H Bldg. 2120, SSC, MS 39529.

**NEEDED: CARPENTERS & CARPENTER'S** helpers. Good pay. Call 466-0748.

**NEEDED: COUNTER & KITCHEN HELP.** Apply within, Dairy Queen, 401 Hwy 90, Waveland, after 1pm. NO PHONE CALLS.

**NEEDED: SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS** at Methodist Children's Center. Please come and apply behind Main St. Methodist Church.

**PART TIME HELP NEEDED: PHYSICALLY CARE** for handicapped male with some light housekeeping. 467-7671.

**TIRE TOWN TEAM:** One of South Mississippi's leading independent tire dealers has career opportunities for you. If you are an experienced tire technician, we want to talk to you. We offer a very competitive compensation program. Waveland, call Joe at 467-0095. Tire Town is an EEO, encouraging qualified females & minorities to apply.

**WAITSTAFF NEEDED:** Willie's River Dock, 15152 Hwy 603 & Jourdan River. Apply Thursday through Sunday.

## 81 Appliances

**REBUILT WASHERS AND DRYERS:** Fully guaranteed. We have parts and do repair. We also buy used appliances. Bay Washers. 467-6122.

## 82 Antiques, Collectibles

**50% OFF OF EVERYTHING IN SHOP** until sold-out. Grab Bag Antiques & Dolls. 110 E. Fifth St. Long Beach, MS. 11am-4:30pm.

## 83 Items For Sale

**24 LB THRUST TROLLING MOTOR:** Black & Decker Grasshog weed eater; 2 Cobra Portable 2-way CB Radios; Motorola car phone. Call 880-8921.

**25 AUTOMATIC W/HOLSTER:** 225 Winchester with scope and sling; Lever action 22 Caliber rifle. 255-7514.

**'79 CHEVY VAN, RUNS GOOD,** \$650; 80 F350 Ford Boatall, runs good, \$1,250; utility tool box, good cond., \$500; 8233 Shasta RV, needs work, \$500. 228-466-9410.

NOTICE  
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VEHICLES

The following vehicles will be sold 30 days after the first publication:  
1984 Ford Ranger Gray  
VIN #1FTBR10C5EUA45529  
1989 Toyota Van Gray  
VIN #J3T3YR22W7K5055948  
1979 Olds  
VIN #2C69W9P254681  
1987 Isuzu PU  
VIN #JAACL14L5H0738491  
These vehicles will be sold on or after June 12, 1999  
Bulldog Towing, Inc.  
8028 Ladner Street  
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520  
228-467-3287

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## Items For Sale

**BASKETBALL HOOP, PORTABLE,** \$60.00; 20" Diamondback chrome bike, exc. cond., \$100. 228-588-1231.

**BIRD CAGE 8'X36' ORNET** wrought iron bell shape, value \$1,600 will sell \$900.00 452-1651.

**BOB'S LIVE FAT CRABS.** Open after 12 noon. Pleasure St., Lakeshore. 467-6614.

**FIBERGLASS CAMPER SHELL** (Nissan truck) in good condition. \$200 Call 228-467-1844 or leave message.

**FOR SALE: CARDIOGLIDE EXERCISE** machine. Must sell! Asking \$100.00. Call 466-4868.

**SEARS CRAFTSMAN RIDING TRAC-** TOR, 38" cut, 467-6072.

**UPHOLSTERED, OVER STUFFED** COUCH and chair set, beige in color. Strong, clean and fine quality set, \$300.00 for set. 228-467-4613.

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## Furniture

**DINETTE SET W/4 SWIVEL CASTOR** chairs, \$150; Sears 10-inch table saw w/stand and castors, \$125. 255-6806.

**OAK DINING RM. TABLE, 4 CHAIRS,** & Hutch, White tile top, White legs, it. Oak trim, looks great, \$575. 228-586-1231.

**PATTIFF'S WAREHOUSE FINE FURNI-** TURE and Antiques. Cherrywood drop leaf dining table and 6 chairs \$500; 1950's solid wood 9 piece dining set \$695; 1950's kneehole desk \$95; Antique French ladies desk \$395; Large English Oak Armchair \$200; Eastlake 1/2 bed w/mattress set \$595; Queen Canopy bed \$495; Lots of costume jewelry! Peavey practice amplifier Rags 158, 40 watts \$75; Too much to list! 134 Sycamore St. 467-8357.

**QUEEN SIZE BR SET, \$150; Tools.** Call 467-7901.

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## Building Materials

**CERAMIC TILE:** Interceramic, Summitville, DAL, KPT, Laufen. 500,000 sq.ft. in stock. Attention: Builders, Floormen, special prices. 88¢ sq.ft. to \$1.80 sq.ft. 1-800-233-6702. FLOOR STORE, Slidell, 1725 Gause Blvd. off I-10, next to Smith & Jones, Buildmart.

**METAL ROOFING/SIDING - 6 colors** galv. to 24ft. length. 38" wide-28 ga. galv. 99¢ ft. Colors, \$1.19 ft. V-crimp & corrug. 64¢ ft. Ridge cap, rake & corner, purins \$1.00 ft. Roofing/Sliding from \$14.90/sq. Warehouse Sales, Slidell, LA. Ext. 263, I-10, 263-842-6646.

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## Tools, Machinery

**MF35, NEW MOTOR, 5' BOX BLADE & 5'** bushhog, excellent condition, \$4,500. 255-3778 after 5pm weekdays or leave message.

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## Pets

**FREE LOVE! BEAUTIFUL, HEALTHY,** black & white kittens born to indiscriminate mother. 467-4588.

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## Livestock

**2 - 7/8 BOER BILLIES, \$140 EACH.** Call between 6-9 p.m., 467-5169.

**PROVEN GAMEFOWL:** Buy whole yard, get great deal, 255-7514.

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## Yard Sale

**50% OFF OF EVERYTHING IN SHOP** until sold-out. Grab Bag Antiques & Dolls, 110 E. Fifth St. Long Beach, MS. 11am-4:30pm.

**DEADLINES FOR YARD, GARAGE** sales advertisements appearing in SUNDAY'S Editions of THE SEA COAST ECHO is NOON on Friday's.

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## Yard Sale

**AFTER MOVE SALE: 707 BEYER DR.** BSL. Friday & Saturday, May 14-15, 1999. 8AM-4PM.

**EVERYDAY IS SALE DAY AT YOUR** Bay St. Louis Goodwill Store, Bay Mall Shopping Center, Dunbar & Highway 90, Mon. thru Sat. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 467-7277.

**5-FAMILY YARD SALE, THURSDAY,** & Friday, 8am-11, 316 Old Spanish Trail (1 blk. off Nicholson Ave). Toys, waterbed w/drawers, end tables, sofa's, lg. size clothes, children's clothes, antique porcelain table with 4 chairs, (made in 1920), drafting table, bedlee commode, walker, dishes, pots, pans, odds-n-ends, lots & lots more, come & see. 467-8087.

**YARD SALE: HOUSEHOLD ITEMS,** home school items. Nothing over \$20. 113 Sarah's Lane, Waveland, Saturday, 7am-12noon.

**HUGE GARAGE SALE!** We have cleaned out the attic & garage. Furniture, dishes, lots of odds and ends. Ladies, girls, mens and boys clothes. Saturday, May 15, 7am-2pm. Located at 2145 Longfellow next to cemetery.

**MOVING SALE: FRIDAY & SATURDAY,** 9am-1pm, 200 Jeff Davis, Waveland. Lawn & patio, household, decorative, seasonal, electrical, tools, clothing, etc. Too much to mention!

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THRIFTSTORE,** 307-D Coleman Ave., Waveland, 10-3, Tues.-Thurs.-Fri., 10-12 Saturday. Baby, mens, womens clothes, housewares, & bric-a-brac.

**WAVELAND 2 FAMILY GARAGE SALE:** May 15 & 16, 8a.m.-4p.m. 303 Gordon St. No early birds!

**YARD SALE: SATURDAY, 8am-12noon,** 206 Idlewood Dr., Waveland. NO EARLY BIRDS!

**YARD SALE: SATURDAY, 7am-11, 124** Aiken Road, Waveland. Children & adult clothing, housewares, small appliances, knick-knacks, lots of misc.

**YARD SALE—MATTRESSES, BED, l.v.,** dining room set, misc. 9-4pm, 405 Washington Street 5/13/99 & 5/14/99.

**YARD SALE—SAT. 5-15-99 901 Herlthy** Street, Waveland. Furniture, clothes, toys, & misc. 7:00-11:00. No early birds.

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## Wanted To Buy

**ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES, TOOLS,** dolls, furniture. One piece or house full. Call 467-2628 days.

**QUICK CASH FOR ALMOST ANY-** THING before yard sale hassles, moving or cleaning out. We buy households, furniture, antique, tools, toys, bric-brac, etc. Place or house full. No answer leave message. 467-4857.

**WANTED TO BUY: MOVING SALES,** garage sales, household items, Waveland liquidators parking lot. Call 297-9274 or 466-9374.

**WANTED TO PURCHASE ANY BUSI-** NESS on contract/owner financing, minimum down. Will pay your price. 228-493-6135.

**WE BUY (OLD) WATCHES, wrist,** & pocket, rings, gold, estate pieces, musical instruments, & cash \$ Bayou Jewelers. 466-0425.

## Dietary Staff

**Miramar Nursing Home is** accepting applications for cook, cooks assistant and dietary aids. Excellent benefit package. Apply in person for details.

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**We would like to buy your logs, poles, pulpwood and** hardwood timber. Small tracts or large tracts.

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## 126 Campers/Motorhomes

**30' CAMPER, GOOD CONDITION,** fridge, stove, a/c, self contained. \$3,300. 466-0924.

## 128 Boats &amp; Motors

**16 FT. WELLCRAFT WITH 1994 Yamaha** 70 motor. 467-7484.

**17' LAMAR DEEP V W/TRAILER, no mo-** tor, \$675. 504-858-9553 or 504-865-7917.

**23 FT. STERN CRAFT INBOARD/** OUTBOARD boat and trailer. Runs great, \$2,500. 467-6928.

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## Automobiles

**1987 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE: NEW** paint, runs great. \$1,600 Call 228-467-1844 or leave message.

**1994 CHRYSLER CONCORD, 34,000** miles, new tires. \$10,250 467-5048.

**64 DODGE DART, 4 DR., GARAGE** kept, original paint. \$2,000. 467-0240.

**'89 FIREBIRD, LOADED, \$1,150; '86 CA-** DILLAC, loaded, \$1,350. 467-4688.

**'96 DODGE INTREPID, 4-DR, BLUE, all** power, V-6, low miles, one owner, \$9,998, 0 down, \$219/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

**'97 OLDS ACHEIVA, 4-DR, BLUE, auto,** a/c, all power, factory warranty, \$8,998, 0 down, \$189/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

**'97 PONTIAC GRAND-AM, 4-DR,** loaded, low miles, Speller, \$9,498, 0 down, \$198/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

**AUTO INSURANCE WITH MONTHLY** PAYMENTS as low as \$24. Call Paul Smith Insurance Agency, 467-4607 or 467-1152.

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## Trucks, Vans

**1996 LINED LONG BED 1500 RAM, V-8,** heavy load, pulling package, all chromed out 40K miles, mint condition. New tires and running boards. Take over notes. 467-8357.

**'89 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER, LOADED,** \$1,250; '90 NISSAN PICK-UP, standard, fair, am/fm, \$1,200. 467-4688.

**'95 DODGE DAKOTA, EX-CAB, TEAL,** auto, V-6, a/c, low miles, nice, \$9,998, 0 down, \$219/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

**'95 FORD PICK-UP, EDDIE B, all power,** White, \$9,998, 0 down, \$189/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

**'96 CHEVY S10 PU, GREEN, auto, a/c,** low miles, \$6,998, 0 down, \$129/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

NOTICE  
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VEHICLES

The following vehicles will be sold 30 days after the first publication:  
1984 Ford Bronco, Red & White  
VIN #1FMEU15G1ELA39476  
1977 Coachman Travel Trailer, Tan  
VIN #2371-044039  
Model # 29 Com6  
These vehicles will be sold on or after May 28, 1999  
Tommy Nelson  
5160 Tombigbee St.  
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520  
228-467-8409

4/28; 5/6; 5/13/99

## 138 Trucks, Vans

**'96 DODGE RAM 1500, FULL-SIZE P/U,** auto, a/c, 2-tone paint, one owner, \$9,998, 0 down, \$219/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

**'97 FORD RANGER, SILVER, a/c, low** miles, XLT package, \$8,498, 0 down, \$179/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

**FOR SALE: 1996 CHEVY LUMINA, ex-** cellent condition. 70,000 HWY miles. Asking \$8,000. 467-3970.

**FOR SALE: 1986 FORD F700, 80,000** miles, V8, new 2 speed rear-end, clutch, rear brakes and paint, \$4,900.00 D-228-864-1474 N-228-896-8546.

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## Apt. For Rent

**1 BR APT, FURNISHED:** You pay lights, we pay for trash pick-up, water and spraying. 467-8401, ask for A.J.

**BAY POINTE APT. NOW LEASING 1, 2,** & 3 bedroom units. Newly renovated. Weekly & monthly. Corporate units available. Now under new ownership. 467-3388.

**FURNISHED APT. FOR RENT, ANS-** LEY. Call after 6pm. 467-0809.

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**ONE BEDROOM 1,300 SQ. FT. 7 closets,** tile floors, washer, dryer, refrig., stove, dishwasher, share utilities. \$550 month. Includes water. Credit report. 452-1651. Long Beach.

**GREAT MOVE IN SPECIAL!!! Great** Pass location. One's from \$370; Two's from \$405; and three's from \$505. Call 452-9901.

**UNFURNISHED APT: 2BR/1BA,** \$575/month; Also, 2BR/1BA \$475/month. Washer/dryer hook-ups. Nice neighbor-hood. 467-2344.

**UNFURNISHED, SPACIOUS, 1 room,** loft apt. DOWNTOWN B.S.L., 105 State St. All electric, available immediately. \$375/month, \$375/deposit. 467-7285, 467-2596.

**UNIQUE 2 BR APTS IN WAVELAND.** 50% off first months rent & deposit. 467-6882.

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**TRAILER FOR RENT: 2 BEDROOM, 1** bath, heat/air, carpeted, pet-free. \$350/month, deposit required. 467-0663.

**WATERFRONT: CLEAN, 2 BR 1 1/2 BA,** pet-free environment, no water or sewer-age fee, \$375/mo., \$350/d.e.p. 1-504-649-0826.

## 149 Mobile Homes For Sale

**AAA HOMES: BUY "SELECT" SINGLE** wides w/notes as low as \$299/mo. w/ minimum down. Buy "Select" multi-sections w/notes as low as \$399/mo., w/ minimum down. Call 1-888-643-8332, 378 Voters Road, Slidell.

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**OLD TOWN BSL: 2 B/1 BA, off street** duplex. Small but nice. Hookups, cent. ac/heat, pet & smoke-free environment. \$450/mo. \$300/dep. 1-yleasa. Available June 1. 467-1380.

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**150 Uniform Houses For Rent**

3 BEDROOM HOUSE, CENT. AIR/HEAT, nice. \$500/damage deposit, \$650/mo. Call 467-6094.

3 BR/2 BA, BRICK, LARGE YARD, cent. air, Felicity St., near Yacht Club, \$990/mo. 255-4022.

3 BR, 2 BATH, 1700 SQ. FT. \$800/month, \$800/deposit. 1108 Waveland Avenue, 875-0033.

3 BR/3 BA, VERY LARGE HOUSE in Waveland. \$800/mo. plus deposit. 1-504-392-4126 or 533-7979.

DIAMONDHEAD/HOLIDAY VILLAGE, 2br, 1 bath & loft, chalet, \$525/month, \$400 deposit. Call evenings 255-1413.

LIKE NEW 3 BR, 2 BA, from \$750 per month. Century 21 of Diamondhead. 255-3550.

LOOKING FOR A RENTAL? CALL US! Ashman Mollere Realty Incorporated. 467-5429.

UPSTAIRS DUPLEX: 2 BR/1 BA, Hwy 603, 1100 SF, laundry rm., dining rm, pet & smoke-free environment, \$475/mo, \$300/deposit, lease. 467-1380.

WATERFRONT 2 BR/1 BA, newly remodeled, deck, cent. air, ref, stove included, \$550/mo. 1-504-781-7164.

WAVELAND: WALK TO BEACH & conveniences. Small, newly remodeled 2 Br cottage, complete kitchen, air, cent. heat, porch, fenced, water paid. Sm. pet ok. Coleman Ave., \$450/mo. 1-504-464-2527.

**153 Real Estate Wanted**

RENTAL HOUSE NEEDED: MATURE, responsible single woman needs nice unfurnished 2 bedroom cottage. Near water/beach. 504-368-7561 or email cllalala@juno.com.

**156 Lots/Acreage**

2 LOTS W/SLAB ON ONE and garage on the other (450sf.). Located in Oak Harbor Subdivision, Pearlington in front of Marina. 255-9211.

CLERMONT HARBOR, LAKES 5/0, paved road, 3 acre, heavily wooded, lake-side, \$12,000, near Port Bienville, Nasa & beach off N. Railroad Ave. between Clermont RR crossing & Lakeshore crossing. 466-0688.

CORNER LOT IN WAVELAND CITY LIMITS, 132x134, paved rd., city water/sewer. Under appraisal, \$10,000. 466-4410.

THREE 4-ACRE PARCELS OR ONE 6 acre parcel. Off Fenton-Dedeaux Road on Road 310. Owner financing. 832-8800.

LARGE, HIGH, DRY LOT. Great area, Waveland, all utilities, \$250.00 down, owner financing, terms to fit your budget. 228-467-5734.

TWO LOTS FOR SALE: Bayside Park, nice location, paved street, \$1,500 each. Only \$100 down, owner financing. 228-467-5734.

TWO WATERFRONT LOTS: ONE CLEARED, with well. Sewage available, nice location. Shoreline Park, \$16,500. Owner financing. 228-467-5734.

**158 Commercial Property**

1,000 SF BUILDING FOR LEASE on Hwy 90, Bay St. Louis. Great location! 467-6169.

1,000 SQ.FT. CONCRETE BUILDING, 100-D Blaise, B.S.L. Ideal for business or storage. \$450/mo. \$250/deposit, includes water and sewer. 463-0043, 467-3935.

1200 SF OFFICE FOR LEASE in Hancock Square, Hwy 90, Bay St. Louis, \$850/mo. 467-4437.

CHOCTAW VILLAGE: OFFICE & RETAIL space available. Talk to Gary T. Gilmore. 255-4396.

COMMERCIAL/RESIDENTIAL: 2400 SQ.FT. attractive block bldg. and one 3 bedroom house, 1 acre land for expansion, high elevation, good location on Central Avenue. Sold together or separately, 150K together, 110K commercial bldg and land only. 467-6140, 467-7149.

DIAMONDHEAD OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT, 500SF, at front gate. \$620/month includes utilities. 255-9883, 255-9586.

ESTABLISHED ATTORNEY'S seeking professional to share office space at 806 Hwy 90, BSL. Approx. 2,000 SF. Reduced rate possible. Call 228-466-3366 or 228-392-3799.

LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION. Coast Plaza, Highway 90 & McLaurin St. 228-466-3333.

**159 Houses For Sale**

FOR SALE BY OWNER 3BR/3BA, large living room, small kitchen & dining room, extra room could be fourth BR or office. Nice neighborhood close to shopping, schools, and Casino Magic. House needs some work. Small storage house in rear. Nice lot. Appointment only \$86,200. 467-2541.

FOR SALE: CAMP ON WATERFRONT lot near LaFrance. Call 601-798-2859.

**159 Houses For Sale**

I WILL PAY TOP \$ FOR YOUR PROPERTY, any condition. Will pay all closing cost. Agents protected. O/A. 504-456-8821.

NEW HOME FOR SALE IN KILN, MS. 3BR/2BA on 2 acres loaded with oak trees. \$115,000 obo. Must sell! (601)749-0014.

WHY RENT WHEN YOU CAN BUY? Beginners friendly 2 BR/1 BA, on pilings, private lot, \$59,800. All offers looked at. Gold Coast. 467-4479.

2 BEDROOM 1 BATH ON PILINGS, 1 block off beach, 400 Lovers Lane, Henderson Point, \$64,500. 832-1423.

4 BEDROOM, 4 BATH, 2600sq.ft. living area. On water, 901 Dove Blvd. Bay St. Louis. \$175,000.

**Public Notice**

**NOTICE**  
**SURPLUS PROPERTY SALE**  
Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District, 201 Carroll Avenue, Bay St. Louis, MS. 39520.

Review surplus equipment from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., May 6-May 26, 1989, (Monday through Friday) Surplus equipment is located at the Bay Middle School Gymnasium, 400 North Second Street. Bids will be opened on Thursday, May 27, 1989 at 10:00 a.m.

All sales will be by sealed bid only. Please identify sealed bids on the outside of the envelope with the item number. For additional information contact Mr. Garland Cuevas, 467-6621. The Board of Trustees has the right to accept or reject any and all bids. 5-6: 5-13-89

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

The Board of Trustees of the Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District will accept sealed bids up to 2:00 p.m., June 2, 1989, for supplies, services and equipment for the Public Schools for the 1989-2000 school year as follows:

Electrical supplies, printed office supplies, school yearbook, diplomas, gasoline/diesel, athletic equipment and supplies. Specifications may be obtained in the Office of the Superintendent located at 201 Carroll Avenue, Bay St. Louis, MS. 39520. Please specify on the outside of your envelope "Sealed Bid". The School Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. 5-6: 5-13-89

BRON GRIFITH, PRESIDENT  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
MIKE REED, SUPERINTENDENT  
BAY ST. LOUIS-WAVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT  
515, 520/899

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING will be held before the PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WAVE- LAND ON THE 24TH DAY OF MAY, 1989, AT THE CITY HALL, 307 COLEMAN AVENUE, WAVE- LAND, MISSISSIPPI, AT 6:00 P.M. TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:

Earl Frazier requests a nine foot side yard variance in order to construct a carport/garage on his property located at 201 Carroll Avenue, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. The School Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. 5-6: 5-13-89

Dana Koenig request a three foot side yard variance on each side in order to construct a garage on their property located at 214 Pine Ridge Drive, Legal description is: 26' of lot 281 & W. 50' of lot 29 Pine Ridge Park City of Waveland, Hancock County, Mississippi. Kelly D. Noonan request an exception to Ordinance # 88-1 in order to replace his existing trailer on his property located at 2219 Hudson Street. Legal description is: 44-45 Bk. 148 Shoreline Park, Unit 7 Addition 3 City of Waveland, Hancock County, Mississippi. Julia Rosson request plat approval to subdivide a tract of land into a 64 lot single family residential subdivision. Legal description is: 64 lots of 175 Third Ward Gulf Shores Association Subdivision. ALL INTERESTED PARTIES MAY ATTEND AND MAKE AN OFFER OF BIDS. For additional information phone 466-2548, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. 5-6: 5-13: 5/13/89

Christina Gallagher  
Zoning Officer  
515, 520/899

**NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on January 15, 1988, CHRIS C. MENDOZA and W. DAWN M. MENDOZA, executed and delivered a Deed of Trust to James C. Hardy, Trustee for MORTGAGE GUARANTY CORPORATION, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 448 at Page 110 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to TRUSTMARK NATIONAL BANK by Assignment dated February 15, 1989, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 448 at Page 118, and Assignment dated November 5, 1989, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 448 at Page 128, and Assignment dated December 15, 1989, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 448 at Page 132, Deed of Trust Book 548 at Page 188 and Deed of Trust Book 549 at Page 347 of the aforesaid records; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 1989, Edward R. Gaines, United States Bankruptcy Judge, signed an Agreed Order of Relief in the aforesaid case; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, the holder of the Deed of Trust has demanded immediate due and payable, and TRUSTMARK NATIONAL BANK, the holder of the Deed of Trust as aforesaid, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to do so, I will on the 27th day of May, 1989, at or about 11:00 a.m., at the North front door of the Hancock County Courthouse, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property lying and being situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 24, Block 2, Unit 5, Phase 2, DIAMONDHEAD, being a subdivision as per plat of record filed and recorded in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS my signature this 26th day of April, 1989. GERALD M. WARREN, Substituted Trustee

Gerald M. Warren  
Attorney at Law  
P.O. Box 1500  
Hancock, MS. 39502  
Bar No. 06963  
5-6: 5-13: 5/20/89

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

1996-1997 CAPITAL DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM PROJECT B. SOUTH BEACH BLVD. TO BALLENTINE STREET. Sealed bids for the construction of Drainage Improvements and other related work will be received by the City Clerk's Office.

City of Bay St. Louis, City Hall, 111 Court Street, Bay St. Louis, MS. 39520 until 4:00 PM (local time) on Tuesday, July 6, 1989. Contract documents for this project may be examined at the following:

Public Works Director  
City of Bay St. Louis  
600 S. Second Street  
Bay St. Louis, MS. 39520  
228-467-2724

James J. Chirchie, P.E.  
725 Old Spanish Trail  
Bay St. Louis, MS. 39520  
228-467-6755

Copies may be obtained at the office of James J. Chirchie on payment of the non-refundable amount of \$200.00 for each set.

Bid security in the amount of 5% of the bid shall be required to accompany bids in the form of a bid bond. The bidder reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive irregularities in bidding.

All bidders must hold a Certificate of Responsibility issued by the Mississippi State Board of Contractors as when required by State Law. The number shall appear on the proposal and on the outside of the sealed envelope.

Bay St. Louis City Clerk  
Robert J. Parker  
5-6: 5-13: 5-20: 5-27: 6-3: 6-10-89

**Public Notice**

**SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION (RULE 11)**  
IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WESTER ANTHONY ALFORD, JR., Being one and the Same Person as Wester A. Alford, Jr., Cause No. 98-0297

TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF WESTER ANTHONY ALFORD, JR., Being one and the Same Person as Wester A. Alford, Jr., Decedent. You have been made a defendant in the suit filed in this County by WESTER ANTHONY ALFORD, SR., RITA CLAIRE W. ALFORD, MICHAEL JOSEPH ALFORD, BRIAN HENRY ALFORD and JEFFREY CHARLES ALFORD, to establish heirship and place the heirs in possession of real and personal property. Defendants other than you in this action are: none.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 o'clock a.m. on the 22nd day of JUNE, 1989, in the Hancock County Courthouse at 308 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition unless you appear or plead but you may do so if you desire.

Issues will be heard and the seal of said Court, this 23 day of APRIL, 1989.

Timothy A. Keller  
Hancock County Chancery Clerk  
By: L. Scarborough, D.C.

Patricia H. Willis  
Attorney at Law  
5407 Indian Hill Blvd.  
Diamondhead, MS. 39525  
429, 56: 5/13/89

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that K & K Mini Storage, 604 Ruella St., Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 will sell the highest bidder for cash the personal property of Patricia Bourgeois, Unit # 45, and whose last known address was P.O. Box 2388, Bay St. Louis, MS. 39521. The sale will take place at 1:00 P.M. at K & K Mini Storage, 604 Ruella St., Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520, on Friday, May 14, 1989. 5-6: 5-13-89

**NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
WHEREAS, on December 30, 1987, ANDREW LAWRENCE, deceased, executed a Deed of Trust to Virgil Robinson, Jr., Trustee for DRYADES SAVINGS BANK, F.S.B., which Deed of Trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 508 at Page 325 in the aforesaid office; and

WHEREAS, TRUSTMARK NATIONAL BANK desired to appoint and did appoint Gerald M. Warren as Substituted Trustee by instrument dated April 1, 1989, filed April 8, 1989, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 547 at Page 583 of the aforesaid records; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, which default has continued for a period of time necessary for the holder to declare the entire unpaid balance immediately due and payable, and TRUSTMARK NATIONAL BANK, the holder of the Deed of Trust as aforesaid, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to do so, I will on the 27th day of May, 1989, after sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property lying and being situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

LOT 28, SQUARE 26, UNIT NO. 7, SHORELINE ESTATES SUBDIVISION, HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, being a subdivision as per plat of record filed and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, and being situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

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**Public Notice**

**NOTICE**  
**CASE NO. 98-0299**  
**FILE NO. 19-99-1**  
TO: ALVARO TELLEZ GONZALES, METAMORFOS TAMBORES, MEXICO, E. JATU STREET, BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO FORFEIT SEIZED PROPERTY

You are hereby notified that on MARCH 5, 1989 in Hancock County, Mississippi, the property listed and described below was seized by the Hancock County Narcotics Task Force pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 41-29-153, Miss. Code Ann. § 41-29-178 provides for the administrative forfeiture of property other than a controlled substance, raw material or paraphernalia seized under the Uniform Controlled Substances Law, the value of which does not exceed \$10,000.00.

**DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: APPROX. VALUE:**  
1982 CHEVROLET CAPRICE 4 DOOR \$3,800.00  
VIN#1G1EL373N191193  
Said vehicle being subject to forfeiture under the provisions of § 41-29-153(a)(4) of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, having been used, or intended for use, to transport or to facilitate the transportation, sale, receipt, possession or concealment of controlled substances or property described in § 41-29-153(a)(2) in violation of the Uniform Controlled Substances Law, and the provisions of § 41-29-153(a)(5) and § 41-29-153(a)(7) of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, having been used for the purpose of violating the Uniform Controlled Substances Law and having been found in close proximity to forfeitable controlled substances, to-wit:

TO: CONTINUE THE FORFEITURE  
If you claim an interest in the above-described property which is subject to the notice under Miss. Code Ann. § 41-29-178, and wish to contest the forfeiture you must within thirty (30) days after receipt of this Notice or the date of the first publication of this Notice, file a petition signed by you or your attorney, setting forth the grounds for your contest of the forfeiture, and requesting judicial review in the county court, if a county court exists, or otherwise in the circuit court of the county in which the seizure is made or the county (and district) in which the criminal prosecution is brought, in order to claim an interest in the property. Upon the filing of the petition and the payment of the filing fees, service of the petition shall be made on the attorney for the seizing law enforcement agency, and the proceeding shall thereafter be governed by the Mississippi Rules of Civil Procedure.

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING PETITION:**  
Pursuant to the Mississippi Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 10, the petition requesting judicial review and contesting the forfeiture should contain a caption setting forth the name of the party, the title of the case, and the name of the court in which the petition is filed. The petition should also contain the name of the party, the title of the case, and the name of the court in which the petition is filed. The petition should also contain the name of the party, the title of the case, and the name of the court in which the petition is filed.

**ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY**  
1801 23rd Avenue, Suite 100  
Gulfport, MS 39502

If you do not file such a Petition requesting judicial review and contest the forfeiture within thirty (30) days of receiving this notice, the above-described property will be forfeited to the Hancock County Narcotics Task Force, and the proceeds of the sale of the property shall be distributed to the Hancock County Narcotics Task Force, and the proceeds of the sale of the property shall be distributed to the Hancock County Narcotics Task Force.

**NOTICE PROVIDED BY:**  
CONO CARANNA,  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
BY: LAWRENCE P. BOURGEOIS  
ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
4-29: 5-6: 5-13-89

**SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S**







